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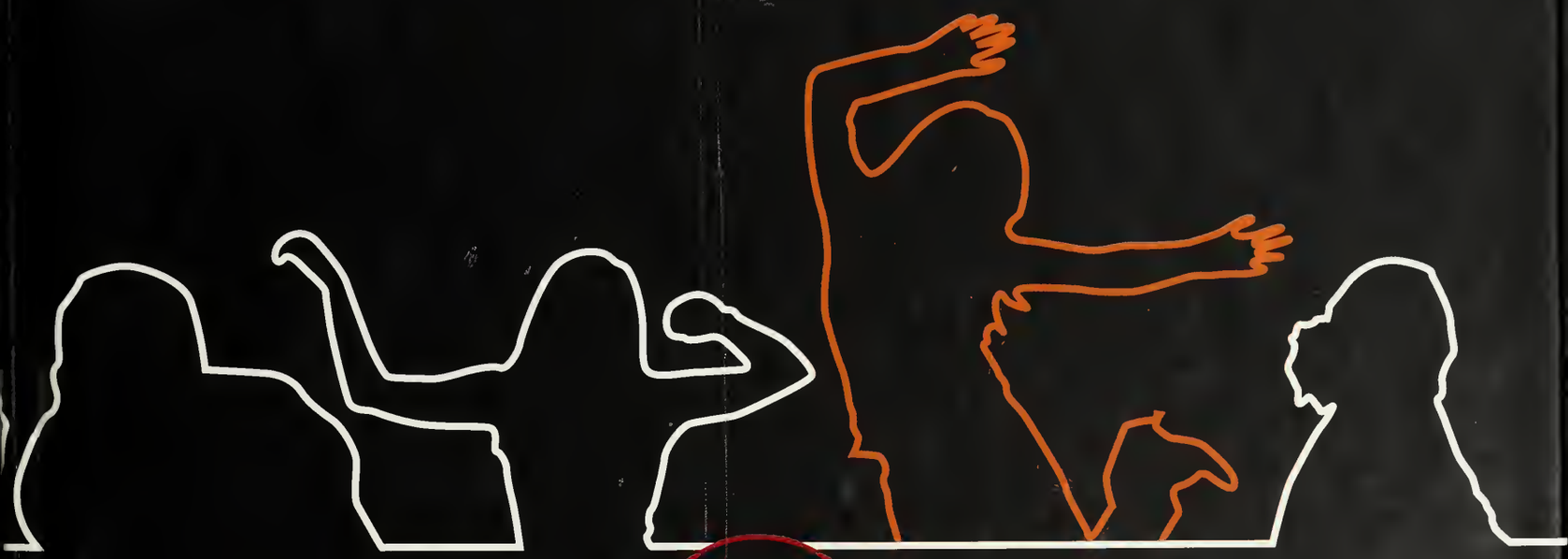

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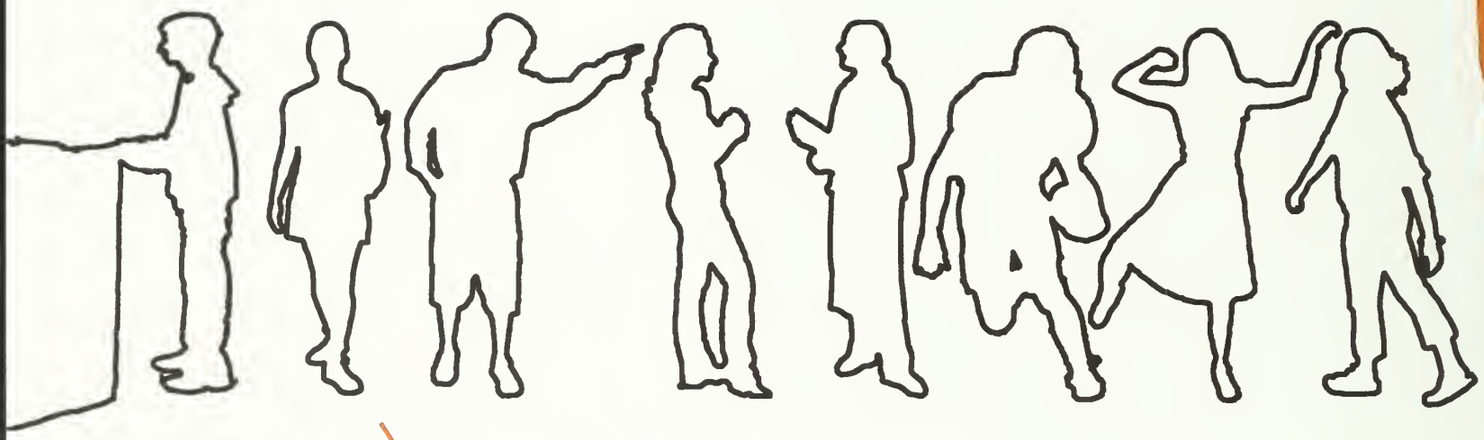

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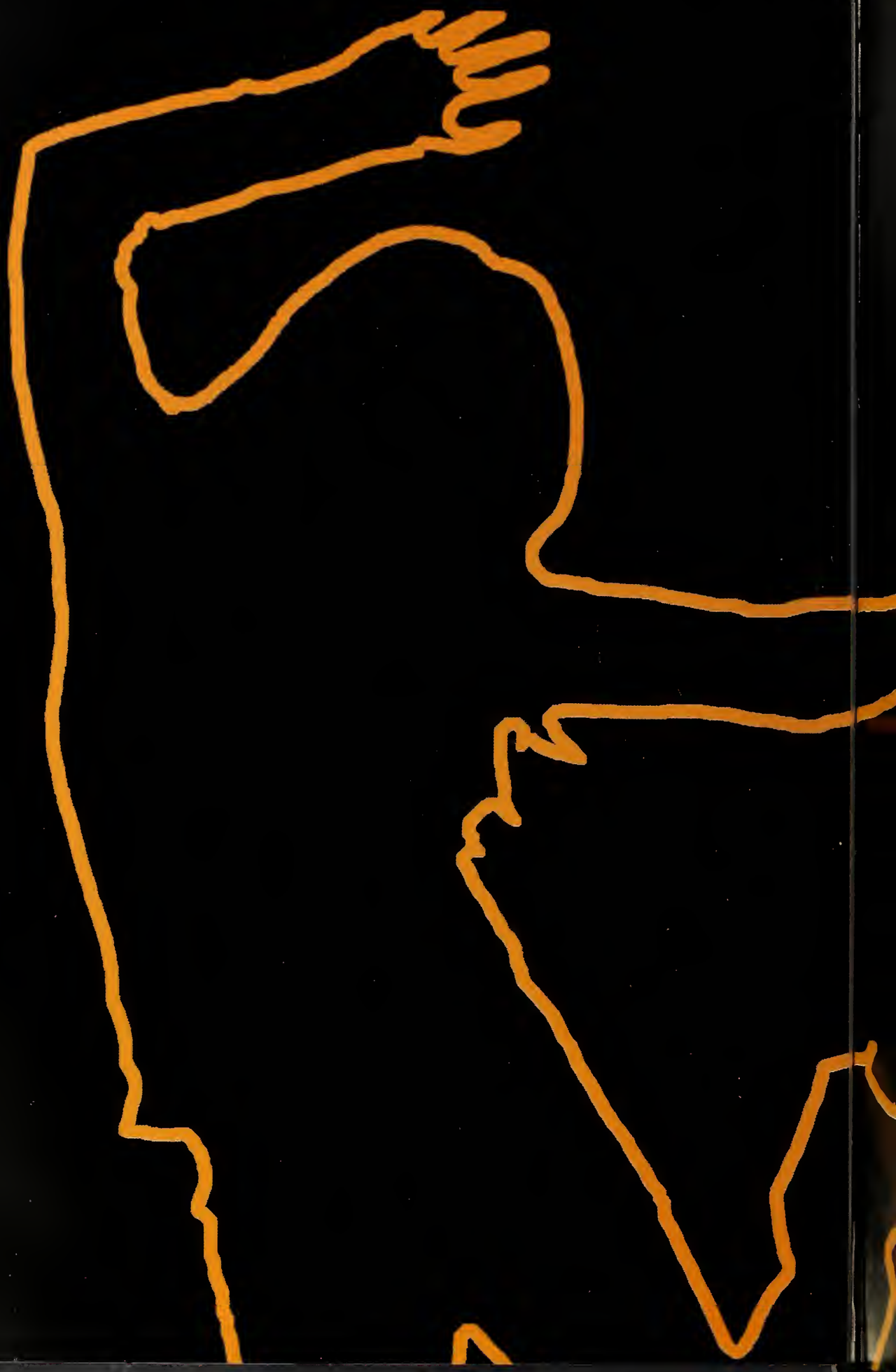

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Why Look at Me?

Endless red bricks. Curved hallways. Brightly colored lockers. 7am parking on Hull St. Everything about this school screams "LOOK AT ME!" At any given moment, there is always some aspect of Newton North that is in the spotlight. An athlete scoring a winning goal in the state tournament. A teacher finally getting through to his or her students. The first meeting of a new club. The goal behind high school is to find what you love to do and pursue it. In a school with over 2,200 students, this may seem hard to do. Yet North's size allows us to have a large variety of athletic teams, theatre productions, clubs, and organizations. Indoor track team. Stage Crew. Alpha Pi Delta step squad. This treasure trove of activities allows opportunities for every North student to stand out. To shine in his or her own way. Look out at the world around us. No Child Left Behind. MCAS. SAT's. It all means one thing: standardization. But at North we remain unique. We try to look beyond these "standards" while incorporating them as well. Stand out with your grades. Stand out by excelling in a sport. At North you can always find a place where you can stand out by doing what you do best. Be proud of your year at North. Define who you are. Take action to be that person. Relish in your individuality and strengths. You're simply screaming out: LOOK AT ME!

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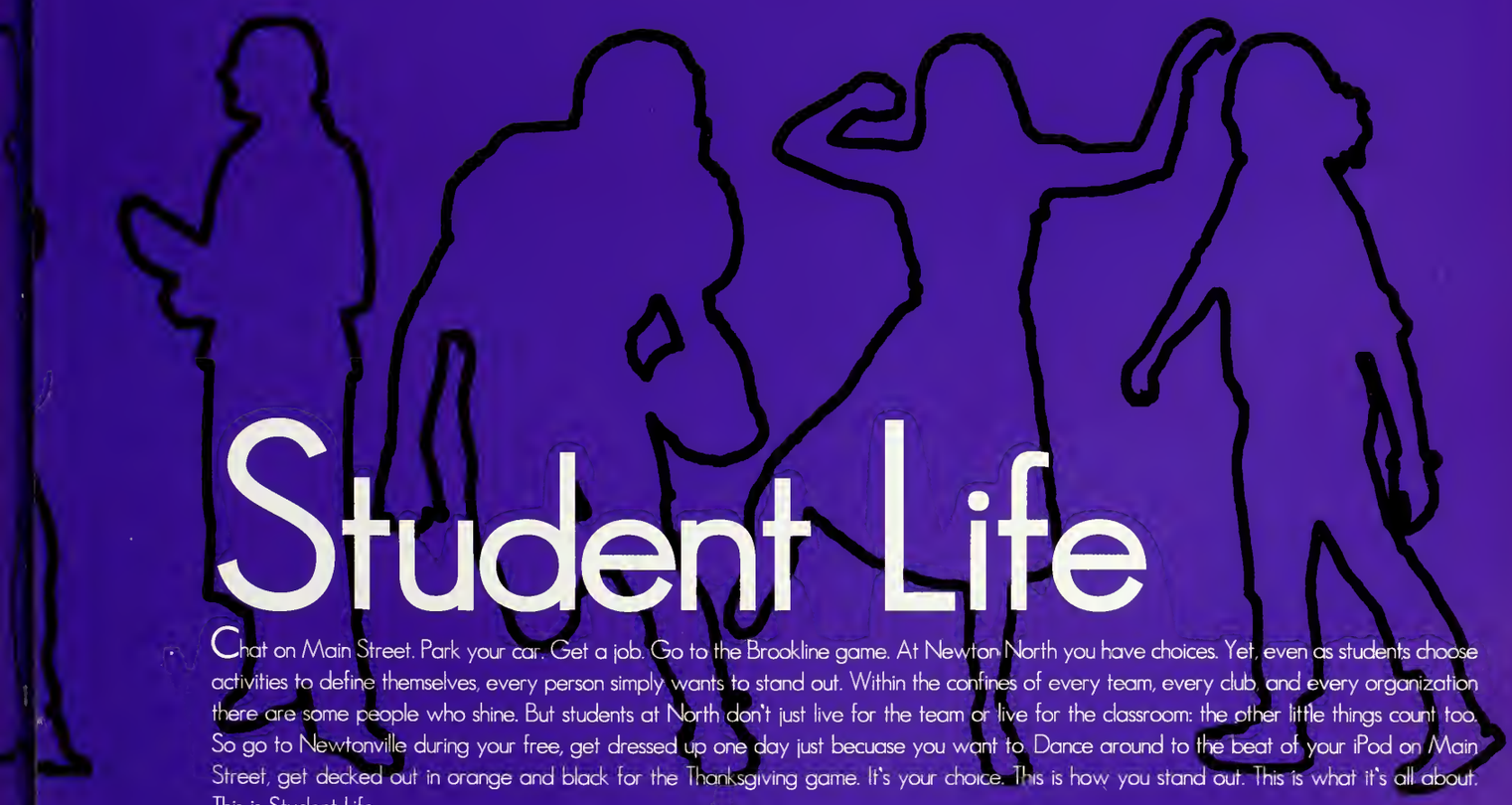
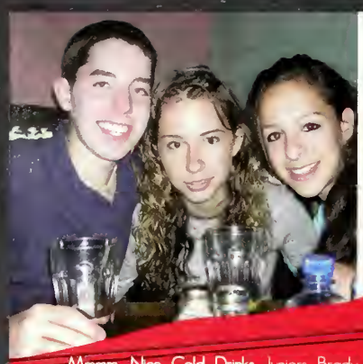
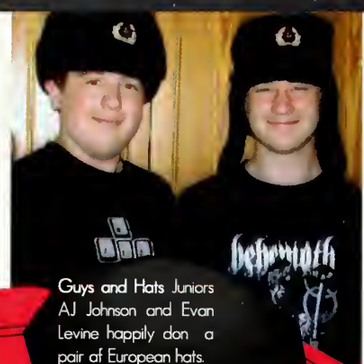


Student Life

Chat on Main Street. Park your car. Get a job. Go to the Brookline game. At Newton North you have choices. Yet, even as students choose activities to define themselves, every person simply wants to stand out. Within the confines of every team, every club, and every organization there are some people who shine. But students at North don't just live for the team or live for the classroom: the other little things count too. So go to Newtonville during your free, get dressed up one day just becuase you want to. Dance around to the beat of your iPod on Main Street, get decked out in orange and black for the Thanksgiving game. It's your choice. This is how you stand out. This is what it's all about. This is Student Life.



Mmmm, Nice Cold Drinks Juniors Brady Newman, Maggie Burdeno, and Arielle Dembe stop to relax while spending a night out in Prague.



Guys and Hats Juniors AJ Johnson and Evan Levine happily don a pair of European hats.

Save Trees, Make Paper? A papermaking artisan teaches junior Gabe Gladstone how make paper from cloth in Fabriano Italy.

Warning: Do Not Try This At Home Senior Ely Goldberg experiences first hand how to fire on M-16 rifle in Israel.

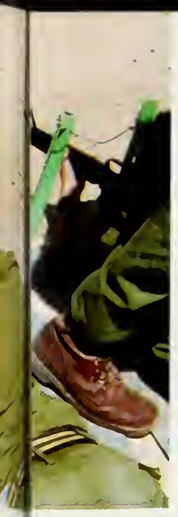
Easy Living

North Students Take on the World

Summertime and the living is easy. Students from Newton North worked, played and travelled far and wide in a summer filled with adventure and laughs. One more year of that summer camp you can't stop going back to. One more scoop till you're done working for the day at a local ice cream joint. Summer is about going out into the world and doing your heart's desire. Although North students did many things this summer, here are three of them:

Israel:

The temperature in the Israeli desert often surges above 100°F in the long days of summer, but that didn't stop Newton North students from participating in the Gadna, an army training program. This simulation course imitates the basic training program that all Israeli teenagers must endure before their mandatory service in the armed forces. "We had to wear the army uniforms and stand in attention at all times" says senior Ely Goldberg, who was in the program the same week as fellow senior Jacob Karas. The "troops" had to perform all the duties of enlisted soldiers. These tasks included proper use and care of assault weapons, preparing meals for an entire army base, and learning combat maneuvers, which resulted in many cuts and bruises! "Gadna really showed me the dedication and



When In Prague... Remember to Bring an Umbrella Seniors Tom Pressman Alice Gurst and junior Jillian Zeller hudle under an umbrella on a rainy day in Prague.

A Knight in Shining Armor Senior Megan Kielty takes a photo with a actor in Acscoli Italy

loyalty that young Israelis have for their country," says senior Margalit Tepper. "I was shocked to learn that my commander was only a year older than me. The army had clearly matured her into an adult." The participants agree that Gadna provided an invaluable opportunity to meet lofty challenges and experience Israel in a unique way.

Italy:

The trip of a lifetime. A chance to see the roots of modern civilization. This is what a group of seven Newton North Students experienced when they went on the Italian summer program for two and half weeks. The students visited many cities including Rome, where they stayed for two days. They saw everything from the Colisseum and the Roman Forum to the Trevi Fountain and the Vatican, but the best part of the trip, as almost everyone will agree, was the gelato. "There were definitely too many choices, but the best flavor was stracciatella (more commonly known as chocolate chip)," said junior Ann Brodie. After Rome, the group went to Marzocco, a little town outside of Ancona. There they stayed in a hostel overlooking the beach. They spent the days hanging on the beach, chilling with the locals, and visiting sites around the Le Marche region. The places they visited included Urbania, the San Leo fortress with its torture chambers, and Carnivale floats in Fano. The group also got to make paper in Fabriano and see how olive oil is made at the Gallbrielloni Oil Company. "It was a once in a lifetime opportunity that I wish I could do again. Everything was different from here, which makes me really want to go back there," said senior Megan Kielty.

Prague:

While most students planned to spend their summer working or going off to summer camp, some students from Newton North decided to sign up for the Prague trip that consisted of two weeks of visiting many historic sites in Germany, the Czech Republic and Poland with day trips to Lidice and the Wieliczka Salt Mines. The trip consisted of many visits including ones to the Old Town Square in Prauge and the Auschwitz concentration camp in Poland. Students woke up every morning around 8:00 am to eat breakfast and attend informational meetings before going out sight-seeing around the breath-taking cities. After dinner at the hotel, they had the remainder of the night to do whatever they chose to do. On top of sight seeing, the group also had to attend class daily which included various written assignments. They learned about architecture, music, theater, and central European history. Also, they wrote in diaries nightly, documenting their daily activities and their personal thoughts. Many entries considered the open society and the freedom to talk about sex and drugs. As an afterthoughts about the trip, junior David Kates says: "I would totally recommend going to Prague. It's a hidden gem, a diamond in the rough."

Puppy Chow, $9.95 Since she started working at Newtonville Pet in the fall of 2005, sophomore Alexis Johnson has learned lot about animals. She enjoys working in the happy atmosphere of the pet store.

MAKIN' MOOLAH

Where We Worked

Get cash? Yeah, you know those green bills that reek with opportunity? Every year Newton North students spend their money on food, clothes and gas among other things. It could cost $40 dollars to fill up a tank, $1.75 a day on the ever popular Vitamin Water, and $75 dollars for a pair of some hot new jeans. For everything else, there's Mastercard... Right? Where does this money come from?

Anna Ziskend:

It's an average Saturday night and Anna Ziskend is at White Mountain Creamery with an assortment of friends. The classic Newton ice cream shop is packed with customers. Anna isn't one of them. Since the fall of sophomore year Anna has spent many a Saturday night serving the packed crowds at this iconic ice cream parlour. "Working at White Mountain is awesome; I like making money and serving people" said the senior. Ziskend serves many members of the North student body along with other members of the community. Anna will often work the same shift with good friend, senior Julia Cohen, which she enjoys. When asked about her favorite part of working at an ice cream shop, Ziskend responds, "I get to eat as much ice cream as I want!" Now that's a job paying dividends.

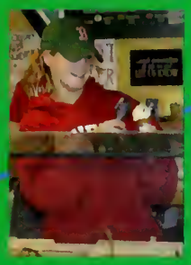
Drilon Loxha:

Do you have a CVS card? This is the question that junior Drillon Loxha has asked every customer since he started working at the CVS Pharmacy in Newtonville during the spring of his freshman year. He spends an average of four days a week, six hours a day. Sometimes he puts in even more days. Loxha got the job through a contact at the store. Two weeks after he had first enquired about a job, Loxha was already ringing up customers. He remembers his first day as "miserable." "On the first day I was paired up with an experienced employee to help me learn the ropes, but he didn't show me anything at all," said Loxha. "I had to learn how to ring up people on my own," he adds. Luckily for Drilon, he gets to work with many other students from North. "It's fun to work with people and then get to see them around the school, as well as having student customers." When asked what he recommends for other students who want to work at CVS or elsewhere, Loxha says that professionalism is key. "Always be polite and approachable to your customers, and they will treat you well in return."

"It's fun to work with people and then get to see them around the school, as well as having student customers"
-Drilon Loxha, junior

Photo Frenzy Senior Liana Goncalves, a photo technician, proceses pictures on the computer. Goncalves works at the CVS in West Newton.

White Mountain Creamery is a fun place to work! -Anna Ziskend, senior



Stack Attack Senior PJ stacks boxes at the CVS in West Newton. The senior was working at 6pm on a rainy Thursday afternoon.

1, 2, Scoop! Senior Anna Ziskend scoops a cone at White Mountain Creamery. She has worked at the ice cream hot spot since freshman year.

"It's nice working at CVS because we get a great discount and it's fun buying things with my own money"
— Katelan Young, senior

That will be 12.95: Senior Katelan Young rings up a customer at the CVS in Newtonville while junior Drillan Loxha looks on. The two North students were working the night shift on a rainy Thursday in October.

Hurricane KATRINA

On August 29, 2005, Hurricane Katrina swept across the Gulf Coast, destroying cities unfortunate enough to stand in its way. New Orleans, one of the most devastated, was submerged in water in a horrific realization of the fabled drowning of Atlantis. The levees around the Mississippi River and Lake Pontchartrain broke under the pressure of the water, flooding the low-lying city of New Orleans. The chaos that ensued will have long-lasting effects on both this nation's politics and its economics.

Student Elle Beyer Escapes New Orleans

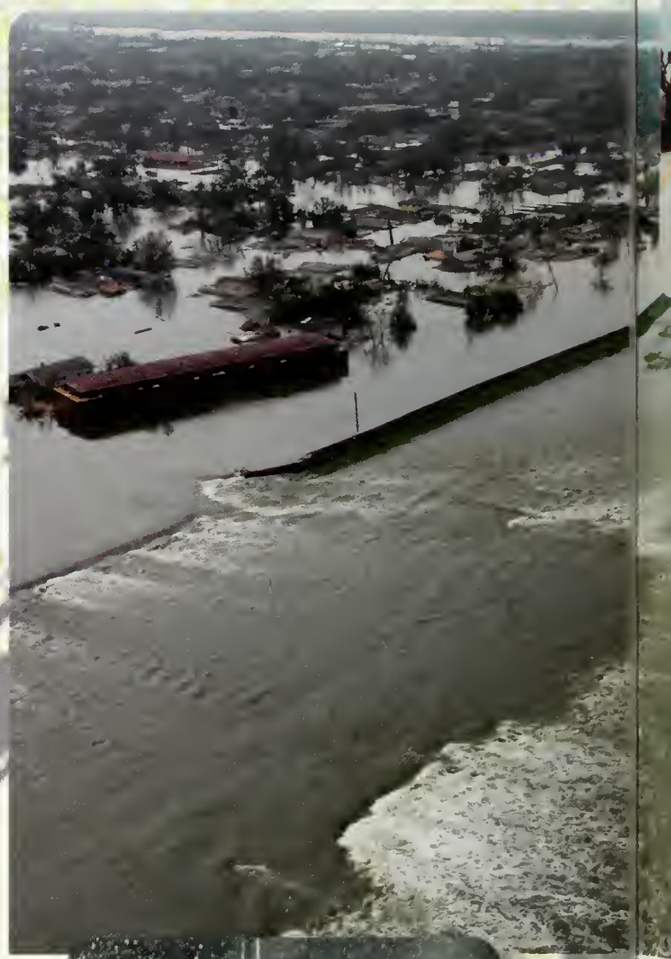
A Newton North student, Elle Beyer, was witness to the disaster. Before Hurricane Katrina hit, Elle and her family lived in New Orleans. Elle attended an all-girls' Catholic School for students from grades eight to twelve where uniforms are required. On Friday, August 26, however, Elle and her mother and sister received news that Hurricane Katrina was heading their way. They were "vertically evacuated" to the 24th floor of a hotel, where they would be safe from flooding. Elle's father was nowhere to be found. On Sunday, August 28, Elle's mother took her and her sister out of the hotel to go shopping for the basic emergency necessities they would need.

"On Monday morning, the hurricane hit, and then we left on Tuesday," said Elle, recounting her escape from the city she grew up in. There were other problems on the road as well. "So many people were on the road... you don't move." Elle and her family first went to Baton Rouge to stay with Elle's aunt, and then flew to Massachusetts.

After leaving New Orleans, Elle and her mother called every day, hoping to locate her father, but the phone lines were all down. It was a week later when Elle's father was finally reunited with his family. "Dad drove up here . . . thirty-six hours on the road," said Elle.

Elle really likes Newton North: "Everyone is pretty nice here. It's just strange. At home, we love George W. Bush." Everyone's beliefs here are very liberal, she said, compared to the more conservative viewpoint in Louisiana. Elle noticed a few differences in mannerisms as well. "There are more discussions in class," she said of Newton North, contrasting the "old-fashioned" lectures of her Catholic private school. "No one here says y'all," Elle said. Additionally, Newtonites do not know what Elle means when she asks for a Satsuma. As it turns out, a Satsuma is a small orange. When asked if the mystery fruit was similar to a Clementine, Elle shook her head and said she had never heard of a Clementine before. One last thing she noted about Newton North students was that "everyone is friendlier and more outgoing here," which is one aspect she really loves about the school.

"It's good here, but I'd rather be home," said Elle. "I'm worried about the house. Everyone left." Elle's school reopens in January 2006, so she plans to return to New Orleans at the start of the new year. Her friends will have returned as well.



A Long Way From Home Sophomore Elle Beyer poses at her temporary school, Newton North. Elle came with her family after fleeing the hurricane in New Orleans.

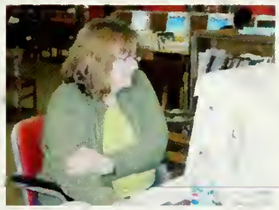
Up, Up, and Away New Orleans residents march up a highway overpass as they are evacuated from their flooded homes. Photo courtesy of Fema

Surveying the Damage The southwest side of the Superdome roof was torn off by fierce winds that accompanied the hurricane. Photo courtesy of Fema

Water House Massive floodwaters swamp homes in the city of New Orleans. Photo courtesy of Fema

High Tide The devastating floodwaters of Hurricane Katrina flaw into the city through a breached levee. Photo courtesy of Fema

Library Helps Relief Efforts



Newton North's library aided hurricane relief efforts by donating all money collected from fines and lost books between October 24 and November 4 to Habitat for Humanity. Exceeding $100, the money helped to rebuild homes lost in the flood waters and vicious winds of th storm. The library got the idea when the American Library Association (ALA) encouraged libraries to donate money to fund the reopening of libraries in the area. Newton North librarians decided to take a more direct route. "I think it's great," said junior Jennifer Dwyer. "I think when students know [the money's] going somewhere, they're more likely to pay it." The charitable act has proven great motivation for paying fines as well as spurring other events to help relief efforts.

Building Bridges A bridge spanning the Mississippi gulf coast is torn apart during the storm. (background) Photo courtesy of Fema

Chaos in the Cafeteria An aerial shot of the cafeteria displays the diversity of the clubs offered. Club officers will do most anything to attract new members, usually using candy as bait to sign up.

Circus Act Senior Raphael Benjamin, Juggling Club officer, gets attention at Club Day by a display of difficult juggling. Prospective members stopped to watch him in awe of the juggling.

Hear Ye, Hear Ye Junior Robert Bowen attracts new members to the Role Playing Fantasy Games Club by dressing in medieval attire. Many students were amused by his costume.

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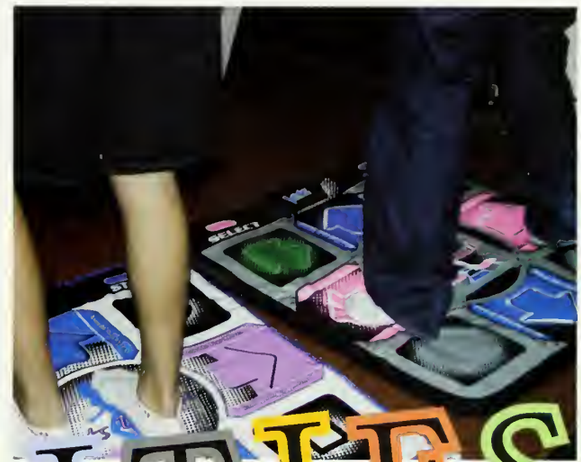
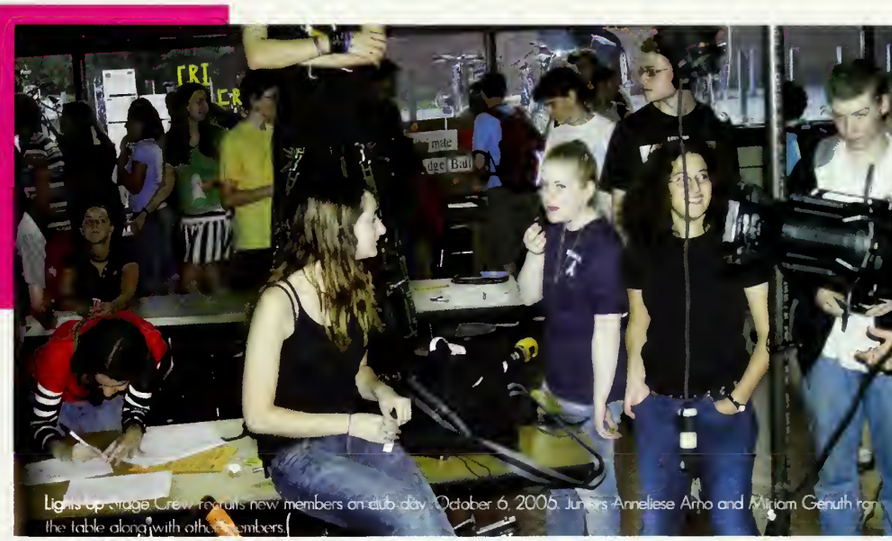
Move Your Feet Members of the Dance Dance Revolution club show off their skills in the cafeteria on Club Day. DDR is popular among students because it combines a video game with dancing.



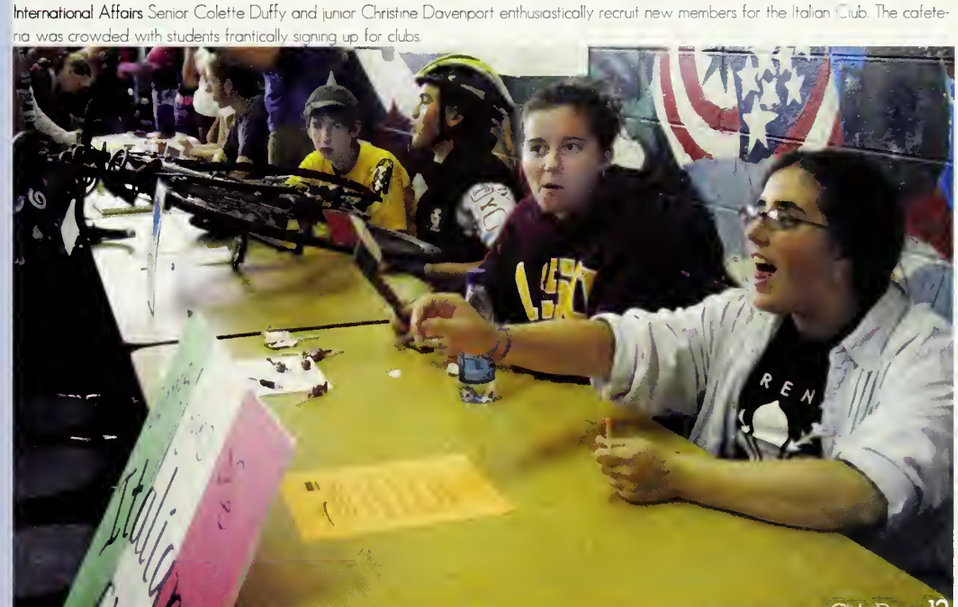
Walking into the cafeteria on Club Day, you are hit with a roar of chatter and excitement. Club officers stand on tables waving bright posters and handing out candy while music blasts. Students are everywhere--some crowded around tables while others look lost. There are so many clubs--Cooking Club, Mock Trials, Juggling Club, Hiking Club--that it is hard to choose where to go first. "I wanted to be in every single club," said junior Elena Swartz, "it was so overwhelming. I signed up for about ten. Now I've learned you have to actively participate in clubs for the full experience, not just sign up."

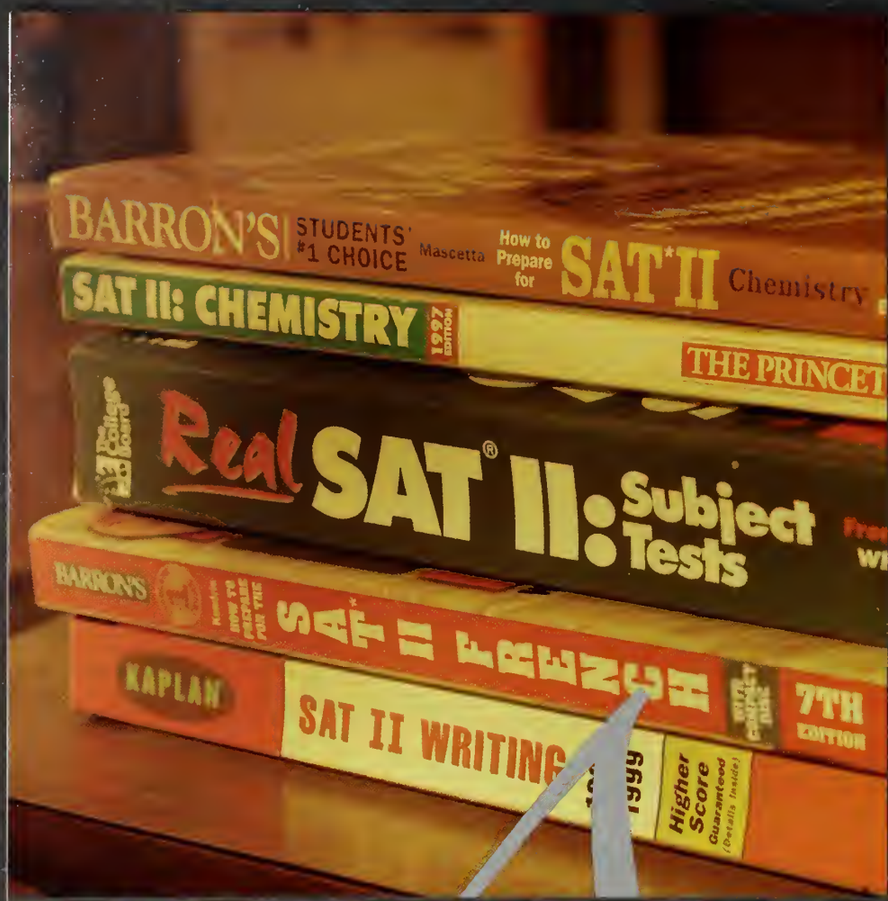
While it is very overwhelming, Club Day also holds many opportunities. Clubs are a great way for students to have fun and get involved in the school. This year junior Lyuda Kovalchuke, Film Club officer, was on the other side of the chaos--she was at her club table instead of part of the crowd. "It was exciting," she said, "I was one of the people trying to get everyone to join my club. I felt more connected--I had a club, I knew what I was doing." Even though Club Day is crazy, students will eventually find the right club for them, and not the club they joined just for the candy!



Lights, Up, Stage Crew recruits new members on club day, October 6, 2006. Juniors Anneliese Arno and Miriam Genuth run the table along with other members.

International Affairs Senior Colette Duffy and junior Christine Davenport enthusiastically recruit new members for the Italian Club. The cafeteria was crowded with students frantically signing up for clubs.





NEW TEST

As part of an effort to improve the increasingly important SAT tests, the College Board released a modified test last year that contained the biggest changes since the test was first created in 1926. Proposed in February of 2001 by University of California President Richard Atkinson, the widespread changes included the reorganization of the test into three sections (math, critical reading, and writing); more possible points alloted (2400, instead of 1600); the addition of a student-written essay and higher level math, and the elimination of analogies and quantitative comparisons. The changes were officially announced on June 27, 2002, and were first implemented on the October 2004 PSAT and March 2005 SAT.

As the first class to take the new test, the seniors--then juniors--had to prepare for it without any previous tests as comparison. The changes instantly made any old review books absolete, requring the seniors to buy new books instead of inheriting them from older siblings. The changes caused some consternation amoung seniors who had been expecting the traditional test. "The old one was less annoying," explains senior Ian Bullock, who had taken the old SAT before the changes were made, "Writing with a pencil is really tiring."

The modifications in the SATs also changed the way some teachers taught their curriculum. "It has affected me in that I do more of a focus on common grammar errors, because that seems to be the focus now," English teacher Rabb Fessler said. Several teachers noticed a slight lessening in the importance of vocabulary, though it still plays a significant role. Overall, students proved to be adaptable and hopefully the improvements will succeed in creating the fair tests that the SATs were intended to be.

Practice makes perfect Stacks of study books at the Career Center help students prepare for the new tests. These books were a valuable resource for students to learn more about the test and practice specific problems. **Study, study, study** Junior Rachel Kaufmann spends time after school on October 12 studying in the back hallways for the reformatted PSAT. With the PSAT only days away last-minute studying was important for students who wanted to get a good score

welcome to the world of Fashion

Hey There! Displaying a variety of fashions for the camera, senior Maggie Sangiolo smiles gleefully. The senior is well known for her colorful and [illegible]otive clothing.

Model Behavior Seniors Marco Planine Traiani and Elise Ranford strike their best poses as they dress to impress. The two were in math class when fashion called.

The Things We Wear

Yes, cowboy boots are back in style, L.L. Bean is dated, and you can never go wrong with orange and black. Welcome to the ever changing fashion scene of Newton North! Take a stroll down Main St., the fashion capital of our world; your eyes are bombarded by the rainbow of colors, textures, and designs of the clothing that North students sport daily. This variety of styles perfectly reflects the diverse student body of Newton North.

Silver jewelry, designer bags, and jeans with instantly recognizable back pockets have some students looking like Hollywood stars. But dressing down is perfectly in fashion too. Oversize sweatshirts and lived-in sneakers are comfortable and casual. Monochromatic black is a dramatic daytime look and bright polos stand out in the hallways. Backpacks and tote bags are anything but boring, students transport their books in hot colors and unique styles. In winter, when the cold weather hits hard, students keep warm in puffy jackets and thick scarves. Ugg boots are cozying feet in even more styles than last year.

Fashion at North is unique to every person in our school, with each person wearing whatever they feel comfortable in. Whether you are donning pajamas or Prada, bags or boots, you will always be fashionable at North.

A Week in the Life of your SHOES

Take a look down. Shoes. North's filled with 'em (everybody has TWO!). New Balance Classics, Uggs, Converse All Stars, Cowboy Boots, Saucony moccasins, Dickies, and so much more. Here we offer you a small sample of the many shoes found all around Newton North.

Fashion *Police*

Lessons Learned Senior Gabe Vergara helps senior Zach Epstein with a math problem on the computer. The hooded sweatshirts they wore will always be a hit!

Whats Up? Senior Alexis Mongo greets fellow senior Yon Temeshgen. The two seniors saw each other in a stairwell between classes.

Did you hear the one about... Senior Molly Tack cracks a joke to fellow seniors Tari Payne and Beth Brandeis. The three girls were on their way out to lunch during their E-block free.

Lunch Break During first lunch sophomores Ally DiBari, Jessica Vilavicencio, Zoe Blatt, Jackie Parra, Alegra Lyons, and Alena Summ enjoy a break from classes. The girls were relaxing on Main St. after a long Wednesday morning.

Up and Coming Like many other students, Senior Gal Tziperman Latan walks to school in the morning.

Driver's Edge Seniors Allisan Decker and Maria Aissa Figueredo leave school in Decker's car.

Ms. Frizzle Would Be Proud Juniors Ayana Rodrigues, Ashley Baker and Mikeita Laurent get on the "Magic School Bus" to go home.

Everybody gets to school a different way, so we've broken it down for you. **Walking** Price: Your feet. Place: Find a map. Find your house. Make a dot. Find the school. Make a dot. Connect the dots. Pros & Cons: Walking to school early can help you wake up and prepare for the day. However, the constantly changing New England weather may have you walking to school in 90 degree heat or trading in your flip-flops for snow boots and trudging through 2 feet of snow. **Biking** Price: The total cost of your bike, helmet, pads, and lock. Place: The mall outside the caf. Pros & Cons: It may break your wallet, but being faster than walking and allowing you to sleep later, this piece of athletic equipment will keep you in shape and get you to your first class on time. **School Bus** Price: $180 per semester with a cap of $360 per family Place: From the bus stop near your house to Lowell Ave. Pros & Cons: You have to pay, and you have to be there on time. Buses come early and leave early so there may not be time for after school activities... or detention. **3rd Lot** Price: $180 per semester. Place: Third parking lot. Pros & Cons: Although you'll enjoy the lovely views of the tennis courts walking into school from the third lot, 180 dollars per semester is a heavy price to pay for a spot that may be taken by a teacher. **Hull St** Price: An extra hour of sleep. Place: Hull Street (Stadium Side). Pros & Cons: Although it may be tough to pull yourself out of bed so early, the closer proximity to the school, not to mention the fact that it's free, is an added bonus. **"The Strip"** Price: Early... but not as early as Hull St. Place: Behind Elm St. and next to 2nd lot. Pros & Cons: Although you still have to wake up early, there is a better chance of arriving after 7 and getting a space. It may be closer to school than 3rd lot, but it is farther than Hull St.

main street masquerade

Elvis Has Left the Building Seniors Dani Fournier and Sasha Greenberg reenact the truth about Elvis Presley's death. Fournier, a butcher, resembled someone you might have seen in a horror movie.

Lots of [illegible] of Puppies Senior [illegible] Cruella DeVille from 101 Dalmatians

Trespassers Beware

Halloween [illegible] we were kids, it was our time to show off [illegible] cool [illegible] a favorite movie or TV character. Mom w[illegible] the wa[illegible] makeup in scary fangs dripping with blood, or a [illegible] of [illegible]. After school, with no homework and a plastic pumpkin basket ready to go, we would head out early to get the most candy. The neighborhood was carefully staked out--which houses had the biggest chocolate bars, which houses had the scariest decorations.

Now, as high school students, we have little time for trick-or-treating with homework, jobs, and extracurriculars. School becomes our time to shine and express our creativity this one day of the year, minus the exception of "team spirit." Ironically, the costumes don't change-- we're still our favorite pop icons or a frightening brute of some sort. It's our time to be a kid again, something we don't have the opportunity to do much anymore. Some opt for a more "mature" approach to Halloween, breaking out the leg warmers and hoop earrings for an 80's theme, while others reminisce as cartoon characters and superheroes. Some have chosen to neglect the masquerade, or maybe they decided to dress as a high school student. Whatever your garb on Halloween at school, people are sure to notice. It's a fun filled day at school where you want to see and be seen.

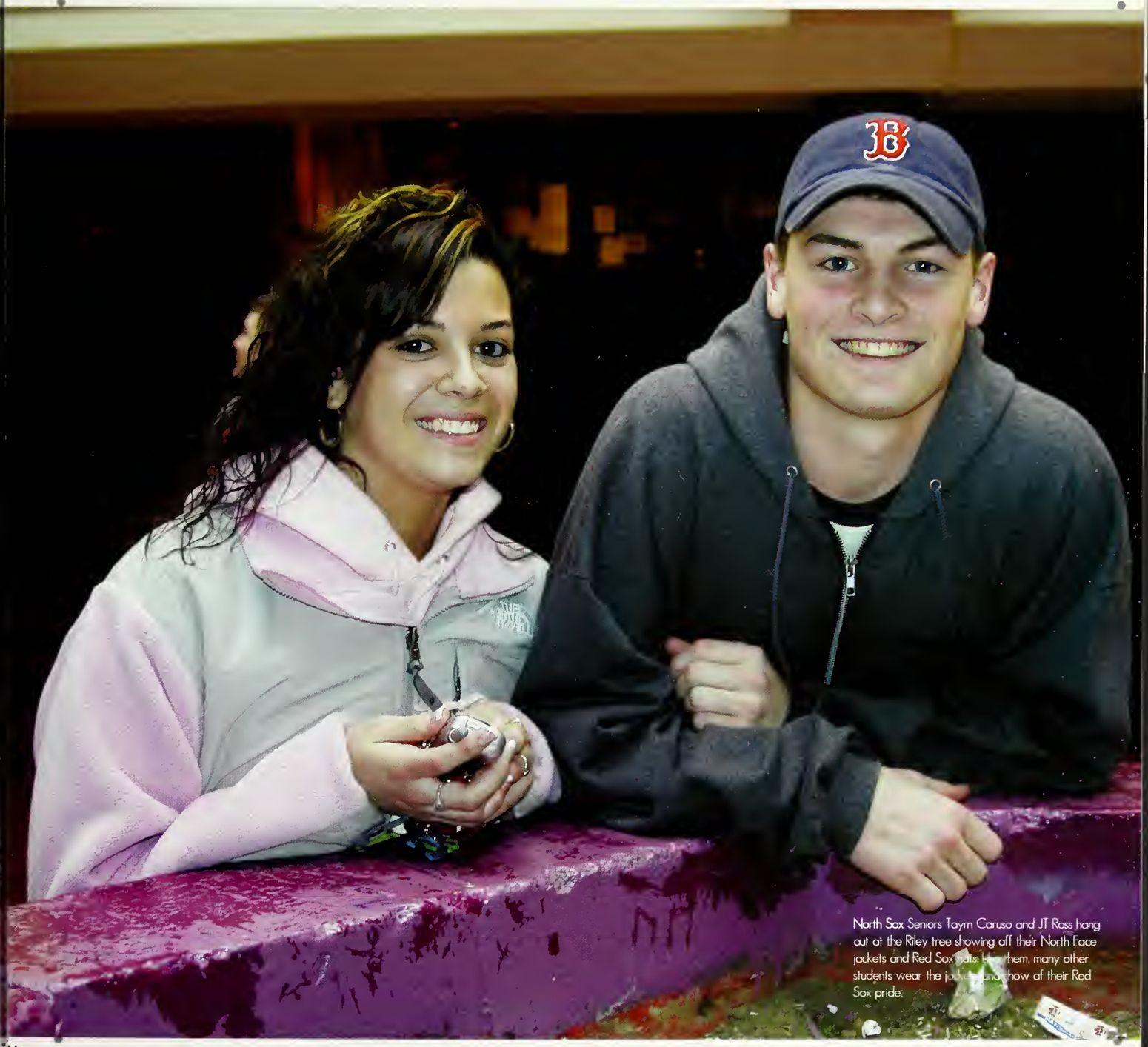
Cowboy Days Senior [illegible] of the Halloween [illegible] class

Popular Culture

The World Outside North

While Hurricane Katrina and avian flu dominated as top stories this past year, plenty of news was made in the pop culture world. Hollywood couples made headlines when MTV darlings Jessica Simpson and Nick Lachey called off their famous marriage and Angelina Jolie and Brad Pitt planned for a baby. Tinseltown wasn't the only place where drama ensued. Washington D.C. was action packed with Supreme Court nominations and arguments over the war in Iraq. The wonders of modern technology made it possible for Apple to realease the miniscule iPod Nano and the video iPod, while Razr cell phones and the Xbox 360 complete with high definition graphics were hot sellers. Many people preferred to keep entertained in a more low-tech fashion with Sudoku, a Japanese number puzzle. Appearing in newspapers worldwide, logic has not been this trendy since the Rubik's cube. Excitement over the 2006 Winter Olympics Game in Torino, Italy was moderate at best but viewers tuned in to see bad boy skiier Bode Miller hit the slopes. Unfortunately, in professional sports, Boston's home teams did not produce any champion results. Both the Boston Red Sox and the New England Patriots lost their fateful games. While we can't be sure if the teams have excitement in store for next year, it is definite that pop culture news will continue to fascinate us.

The Ice Cream Of The Future Junior Larry Brown buys Dippin' Dots during X-block. The sale was organized by the cheerleaders to help them raise money. **And... Action!** While waiting for a ride, senior Megan Kielty reads a book about film production. Many seniors take Film and Literature for their second semester English class. **Star Gazer** Senior Abby Ryan flips through a magazine looking for the latest news on "Ben and Jen." Big stories this year included "Ben and Jen," "Brad and Jen" and "Brad and Angelina." **Fizz** Seniors Mikaela Hansen, Courtney Hendrick and Erin Jones stop by the vending machine to grab a cold soda before class. In past years, senior pranks have included rigging the machines to dispense free soda.



North Sox Seniors Taym Caruso and JT Ross hang out at the Riley tree showing off their North Face jackets and Red Sox hats. Like them, many other students wear the jackets as a show of their Red Sox pride.

4 Fun Facts of 05-06

everytime the Red Sox lose we still cringe

the price of gas broke 3 dollars

Facebook has jumped into the high school scene

the Sudoku craze hit the world

gadgets gizmos

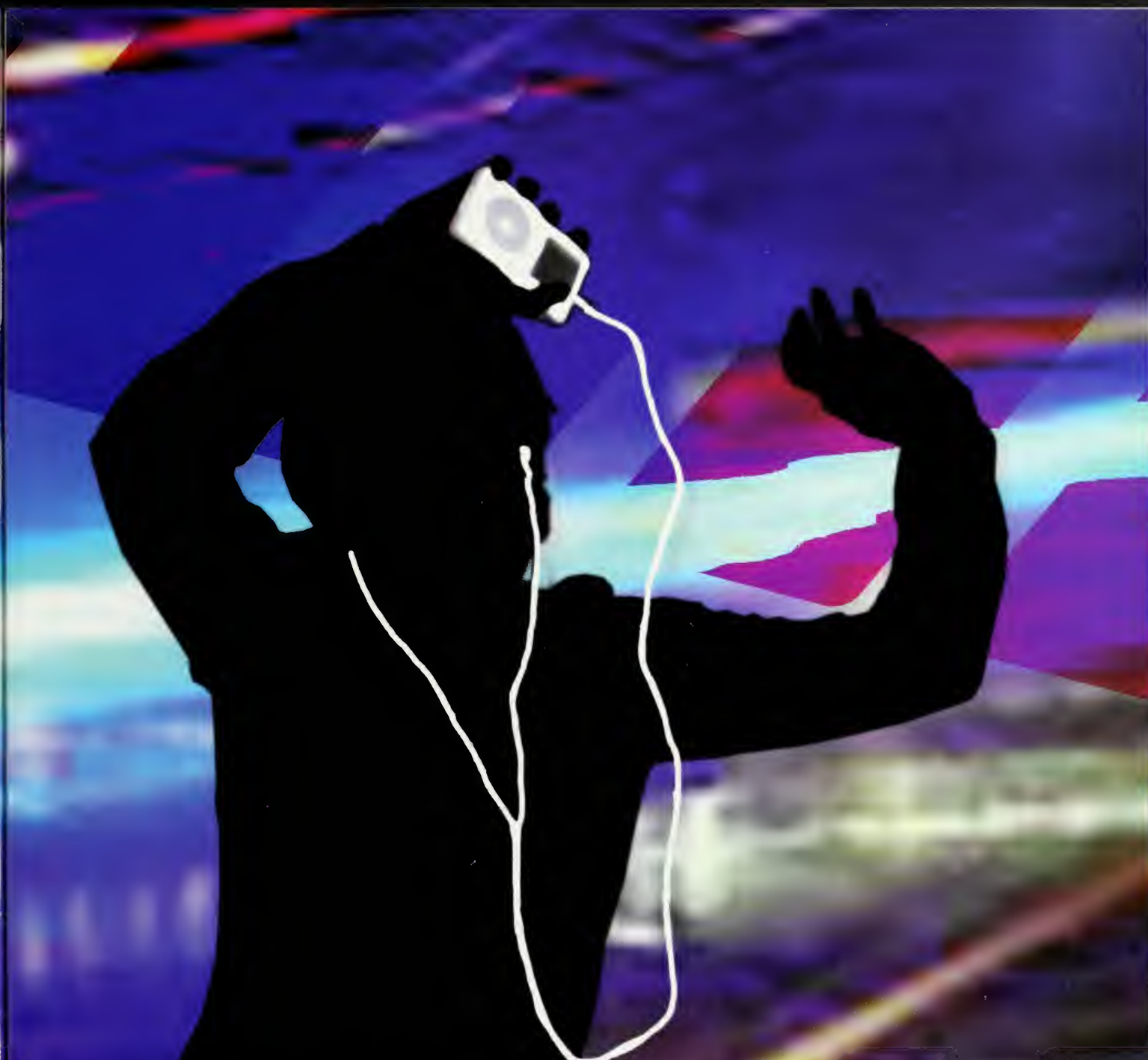
Ten years ago pocket size gadgets were a thought of the future. Today it's completely normal for teens to own these gadgets, such as cell phones, iPods, MP3 players, and PSP's. It seems extraordinary how fast technology has changed in the past years. Teens these days seem very dependent on their gadgets. A survey shows that more than half the student population at Newton North High School owns a cell phone. Teens are spending an average of 1-3 hours per day on their cells. Going a day without a cell phone is "annoying because I want to call people" said freshman Michele Kaufman. Students can spend as much as 1/4 of their day using iPods and cell phones. If we included other gadgets such as PSPs, MP3 players, TVs, computers, laptops, GameBoys, there wouldn't even be a spare second left in the day! This is why students have had the challenge of finding a balance between work, and all these new forms of entertainment available to them.

Around 30% of the student population at Newton North High School said they use an iPod. The majority of students listen to their iPods for approximately 3 hours a day. Sophomore Max Wenneker said that he "enjoyed listening to music." Approximately 4% of the student population at Newton North High School said they use a non-iPod MP3 player, showing how deeply embedded we are in the "iPod culture." Teens use iPods more than MP3 players because "iPods look cooler and they're more popular and commercialized" says Jenny Zhao. Teens try to "be cool" by buying iPods because they're "in" right now. The business market is specifically targeting teens in order to make a profit. They realize that kids are easily influenced and will follow almost any trend that is set. Therefore, the companies design the gadget to appeal to young adults and they basically direct what is "in" and what is "out"

What Cell Phone Service Do You Have?

Eyes Down Junior Alessia Viscomi text messages her friends on her Sidekick, from T-Mobile, which is one of the newest crazes. It is a mix of a phone and the internet and combined with a mini keyboard, it keeps you in touch all day long.

Hello? Is any one there? Juniors Margo Ford and Lilly Shanahán chat on cell phones on Main St. afterschool. While walking down Main St. students often talk on phones or listen to music.



Check It Out Now Senior Andrew Miner shows fellow senior Morio Knourenko on exciting feature on his cell phone. The two were sitting by the purple lockers on Monday Decmeber 19 2005.

Bonding Through Music Freshmen Chris Ponkins and Andrew Norcross shuffle through songs on Andrew's ipod. The two freshmon were hanging out on the library steps after school.

Concentration S[illegible]res Al-Jacaani intensively focuses [illegible]able game player. The device has been [illegible]ar since its introduction in spring 2005.

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We're Number One Senior Khalel Pritchard strides onta the gym floor during the pep rally. The quarterback was out for part af the season with a shoulder injury.

Go Tigers! Principal Jennifer Huntington and George the Tiger cheer on the football team. Everyane's spirits are raised by the school mascot.

Head Over Heels The cheerleaders steal the show with their choreography. They cartwheeled in sync ta hype up the crawd.

Handshakes All Around Football players gather round at the front of the gymnasium ta wish each ather luck for the Thanksgiving Day Game. Seniors Anthony Ambrosi, Jason Riff and Darius Abramson were excited ta play.

Flying High The cheerleading team gracefully executes a catch. Among the cheerleaders were senior Liz Bilotta and sophomore Ashley Parsons.

Leap of Faith Senior Corey Lowe flies from the stands to join the rest of the football team at the front of the crowd. To the amusement of the students, Lowe landed on his feet after a difficult jump.

On the Road to Victory

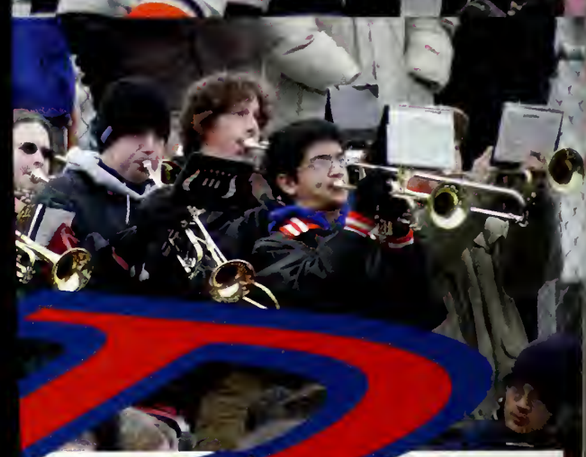
The pep rally: it brings people together for a noble cause. Obviously, that cause is to heighten the spirits of the 2005 football team and to psych them up for the age-old Newton North-Brookline Thanksgiving Day football game. During the week of November 21-23, the halls were decked with icicle lights, black and orange crepe paper, and excited chatter of the upcoming game and pep rally. On Monday students donned pajamas, Tuesday elegant attire. Wednesday was a sea of orange, black, gray and white t-shirts. The display of class pride in the form of clothing was nothing compared to that of the excitement Monday after school at the pep rally. The cheerleaders performed jaw-dropping stunts to upbeat music and the band played the traditional nostalgic marching songs. Getting the team in the right mindset was key to the Tigers' victory Thursday morning.

One Small Step... for Cheerleaders, the cheerleading squad defies gravity in a group combination performed at the pep rally. The crowd was awed by their ability to synchronize this jump.

tradition.

"Everyone was there to have a good time, and winning was just another upgrade to everyone's day."
-Hymlaire Lamisere, Sophomore

Good Game, Good Game... The Newton North Tigers and the Brookline Warriors shake hands after the game. This rivalry game turned out greatly in favor of the Tigers.



March to Victory Junior Lyuda Kovalchuke, sophomore Whitney Leonard, junior Zach Amittay, junior Dan Swartz, senior Jonathan Kalow and Ken Zhao play for the Tigers as members of the Newton North marching band. It was a chilly morning for the horn section.

Team Effort A group of Tigers works together to block members of the Brookline team.

tradition

The Thanksgiving Day Football Game

It's one of the oldest high school rivalries in the state: Newton North and Brookline. And on November 24, 2005--Thanksgiving--the two teams met once again for what seems like the millionth time. Parents and alumni largely populated the stands with a large group of current students as well.The final score: 39-0 Newton. It was a well-played game on both sides, but Newton North prevailed. Athough North had an advantage over Brookline, who had a 0-10 record, all the fans and teammates went away from the game in good spirits, awaiting Thankgsiving dinner. Played at Parsons Field of Northeastern University, a surprisingly large number of Tiger fans showed up for the game on a chilly, cloudly, and rainy midmorning.

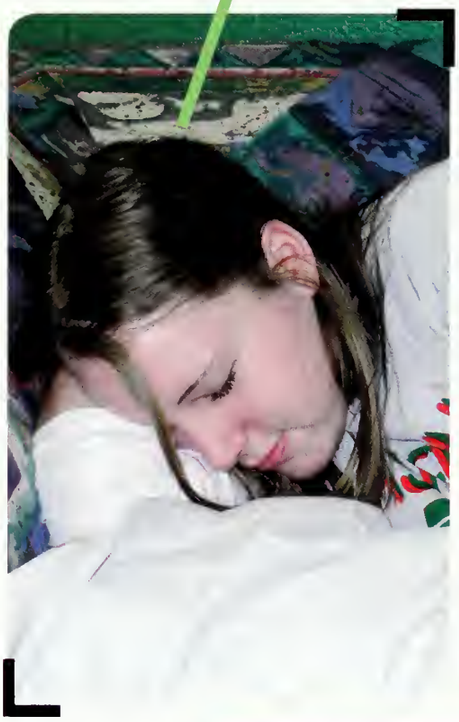
Keep On Truckin' Saphamare Abasu Wontabe kicks off after another Newtan North tauchdawn. The Tigers wan againt Brookline with ane af their highest margins af victary all season.

It's Already Been Brought Newtan Narth cheerleaders pump up the crawd an the chilly morning of the game. Many, such as saphamore Andrea D'Amare, apted ta layer up with up ta three sweatshirts.

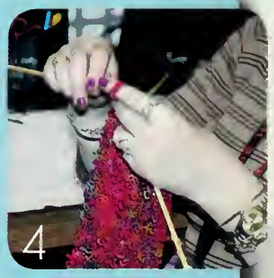
Set, Hike! Senior Alex MacKenzie is ready far action as he crauches dawn and anticipates the play an the field during the game. MacKenzie plays tight end and defense for the varsity football team.

Chill Time Senior Sam Berman relaxes on the bench outside the athletic office. The senior was taking a break after school before being picked up.

Nap Time! After finishing a college application, senior Sammi Tibbetts relaxes on the couch for a nap. The stress of these applications is the biggest weight on most seniors this year.



1 Looking over some ad pages for the yearbook, junior Abby Gorman twirls her hair in stress as she tries to organize the mountain of papers. 2 Senior Vanessa Gonzalez listens to her iPod between classes to relax. 3 Junior Dominic Vilana and sophomore Natali Tene look at the back of CD covers while chilling after school. 4+5 Yearbook advisers Ellen Novinsky (of the business department) and Kathryn Murphy Anderson (of the English department), among other teachers, relax by knitting. 6 Seniors Aaron Kleefield and Eli Reffeld hang out on the bench outside the athletic office after school. 7 Seniors Maria Knourenko and Maree Marcus take a quick nap on the stairs by Hull St. while waiting for a ride home. 8 Seniors Mike Theodasiou and Taylor Jones hang out in front of the red lockers after school.



What makes us tick...

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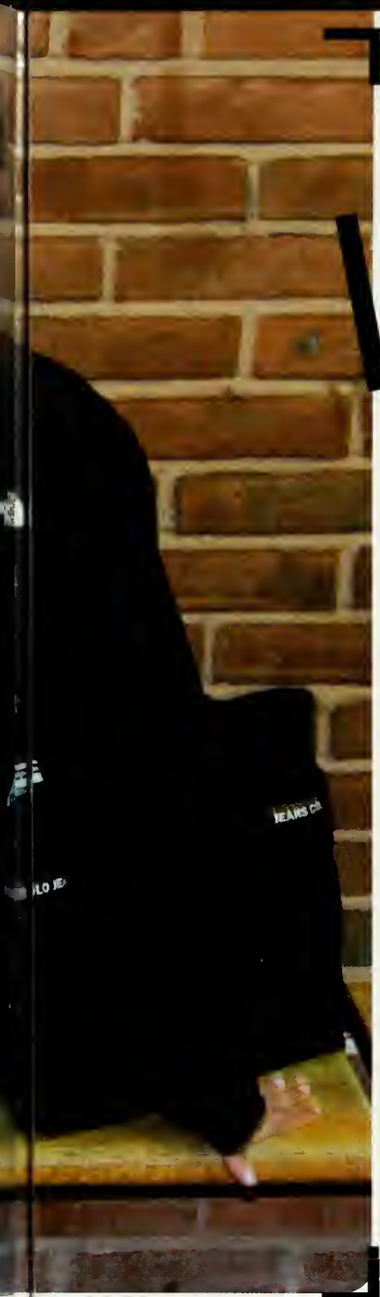
What North Students Do To "De-Stress..."



We've all had them: stressful days where nothing seems to go right. You stub your toe, break your favorite cereal bowl, get soda spilled on your head while walking down the stairs, and have possibly the *worst* hair day of your life. On days like these it seems like nothing can, or will, go right, and it is just a waste of time to even bother to try. To "de-stress," students do everything from watching the hit cartoon show *Family Guy* to relaxing with pets, listening to music and doing Tibetan eye relaxations. This is your guide to freedom from stress. There are still going to be those difficult days, but now you don't have to feel like you can't get through them. Use our tips and you will be feeling better in no time!

iTalk Juniors Nava Rosenbaum and Betsy Strewler relax while chatting and listening to music. The two were hanging on Main St. after school.

All Smiles Seniors Elliot Babblit and Ethan Segal relax and play with a hacky sack while sitting on the couch. The two were taking a break from photo workstudy.

...and how we deal.

Tattoos and Piercings at North

"Tattoos are either considered a cool way to express yourself, or a bad waste of time and money to the kids at North," says senior Bristion Justice. Justice, who has two tattoos of her own, believes the former. Every year around spring, when most of the seniors have turned or are turning 18, a rash of tattoos explodes on Main Street. Boys come into school with large crosses, tribal tattoos, and symbols emblazoned upon their arms and legs, while girls come in with still-pink skin on their lower backs, shoulders and ankles from four leaf clovers, stars, and -- you guessed it -- tribal tattoos. "I think you should just relax about it. I know so many people who think that getting a tattoo is harmful to your body and a waste, but I think that you can have fun with it; as long as you know what you want, you won't regret it," says Justice.

When a Senior Spanish class was polled about their tattoo preferences, most students said that they thought they were cool, "as long as it's not something cheesy like a name of a girlfriend/boyfriend. I'm not a fan of those," says senior Michelle Coughlin.

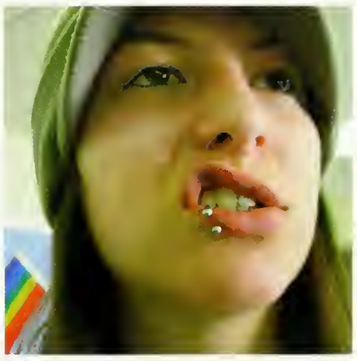
While it is illegal for minors to get tattoos, some students have come home from class trips to places like Prague, for instance, where Lily Brown got her tattoo of a rose. Needless to say, her parents were surprised when she came home with a rose on her body.

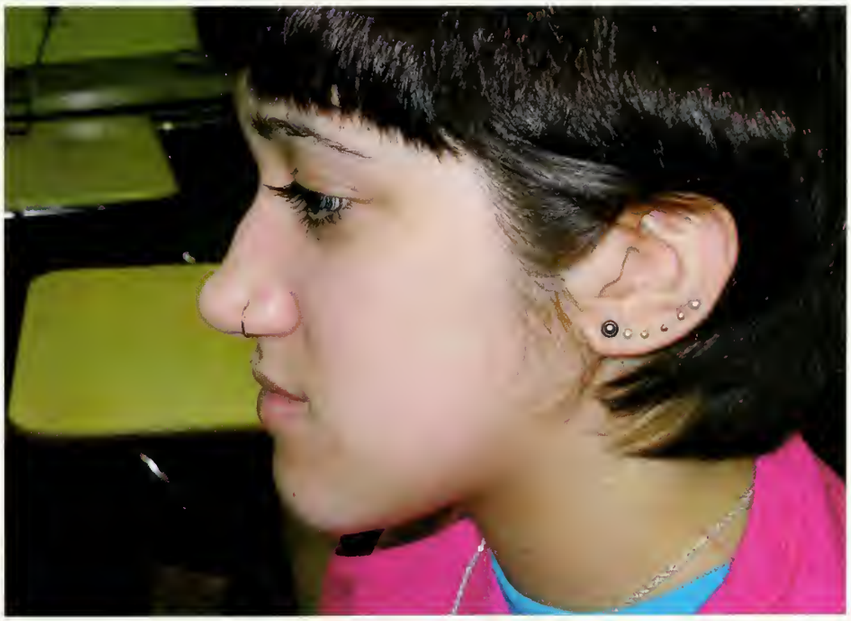
Piercings are much more common and accepted at North. While you still need parental permission unless you are at least 18, more parents are willing to let their kids get piercings instead of tattoos. Some students, like Serena Gonzalez, wouldn't do it again: "The pain wasn't unbearable, but if it closed up, I wouldn't go through it again." Some students, like senior Dani Fournier and freshman Marg Pangburn, have as many as six or seven piercings in their ears alone.

With such a diverse student body, tattoos and piercings provide yet another outlet for North creativity. From stars and doves to tribal tattoos and Chinese characters, each tattoo and piercing means something to the person who got it. The best advice tattoo veterans Bristion Justice and Abby Ryan can give is "don't worry about it; you'll know what you want, and it doesn't hurt that much. Be happy if you decide to get a tattoo or a piercing -- if there's doubt, don't get it. Simple as that."

PAINT AND BOLTS

Over my heart. Senior Ali Malins shows the tattoo she got of a dove right over her heart. Malins decided on the dove and the place to pay tribute to her mother. **One more for good measure.** Senior Ali Malins shows the second of her two tattoos, a design on her right wrist. **Huh?** The third of senior Ali Malins' photos is of her out-there lip ring. **"Why are you taking a picture of my ear?"** asks senior Dani Fornier. Fournier not only has six rings in each ear, but also has a nose ring through her left nostril. **"It says Justice."** Senior Bristian Justice displays one of her two tattoos, her last name, on her lower back. **Star power.** Senior Abby Ryan struts her stuff in four-inch heels with a four star tattoo on her left foot.





Seniors

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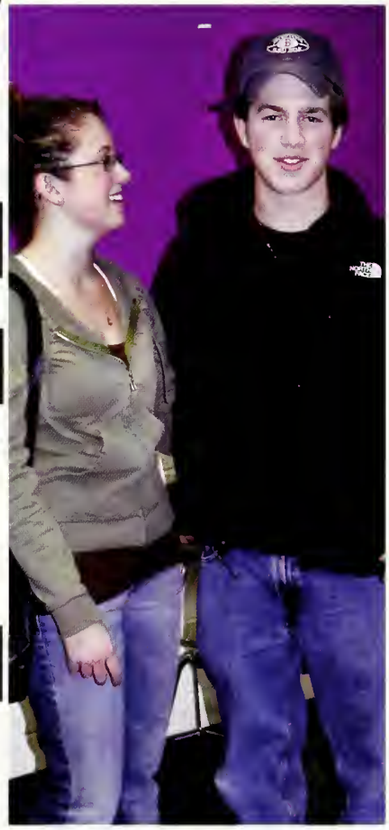

Turning Heads Seniors Casie Goldstein tells fellow senior Mike Kates a joke. They had just gotten out of Mr. Lallas' g-block English class.

Define Yourselves

To be a senior. What does it mean? Is it just that we're the oldest kids on the block? The next group of kids to walk out of North's doors as adults? Yes and no. Every senior class to walk out of this school has been unique. Yes, they all follow a general pattern of being the aldest and most mature but each senior class is defined by its actions. So what defines our senior class, the class of 2006? Is it our powerhouse athletics teams? Our (extremely high) levels of college stress? Here is what a few seniors had to say:

Anthony Ambrosi

I believe that our graduating class is unique because we have a great group of athletes. This may be a little biased as I am a tri-sport athlete myself; however, I truly believe our class has attained great athletic achievements. In four years of participating in sports at Newton North, I have never been on a team with a losing record nor have many of my close friends. Last year Newton North athletics rode on the shoulders of the Riley class. For instance, '06 athletes quite literally carried the football team into the playoffs for two years in a row, something that has never been done before in our schools history. The boys' basketball team took home the State Championship last year thanks to two future NCAA Division 1 players, who just happen to be members of the 2006 graduating class. Newton North is well know for its athletic success, and I feel that our class has contributed

Hey You Seniors Elise Ronfard and Hmaza Syed sit in front of their lockers and share a laugh. The two were out and about during their C-block free.

Study Time Senior David Charns studies on Main St. after school. Charns was in school late as he had just completed his work on the *Newtonite*.

greatly to our school's accomplishments.

Kevin Yee

I think that our diverse community, different from most other schools, is what defines our senior class. We make sure that minorities are heard and that different cultures are accepted. I thinks that clubs at North such as Asian Culture Club and Gay Straight Alliance do a good job of making the school aware of these differences. Unlike many other years we have one of the biggest graduating classes, yet everybody knows each other. This year and in the past, I do not think that any other class has suffered as much as we have. Since the Oak Hill bus crash in seventh grade and with the recent loss of Carlos and Chris, I really don't think that any other class has dealt with so many losses so close to home.

Ely Goldberg

What I would have to say has defined our senior class is the amount of stress we've had through the first semester, especially dealing with college applications. This year more people than ever applied early desicion to college, creating more stress for students to be perfect during both the first and second term. Not only are students stressed out, but teachers are too as they prepare for the NEASC school accreditation process. The generally high stress level at North has really contributed to defining our senior class.

Sarah Crowley

I think that our graduating class is unique because we really excel in every aspect of life at North. In our class we have some of the most amazing athletes to ever pass through the halls of our school, not to mention some of the most talented musicians ever to grace the Lasker stage. Our theatre department has lead many extremely talented actors and vocalists to achievement. In every aspect of our high school careers, whether it is art, music, sports, writing, science, language, culinary, or academics, the graduating class of 2006 has truly made an impact on both this high school and its community.

Jessie Alpert

When I think about the class, it occurs to me that we are the first, the biggest, or the last class to do things. We are the first class that Mr. Aronson has seen through all four years. We are the biggest class at North right now. And we are the last class to graduate with Ms. Huntington. Obviously, there are many things that define each class, but the losses that we have endured and been able to pull through will forever bind us together. The class of '06 is definatly "The Best there is. The Best there was. And the Best there ever will be!"

Stop Talk Posing by the gym for a picture are seniors Khalel Pritchard, Anna Tsepkava, Rachel Krasnow, and Jesse Rubin. The group was heading out to a car parked on Hull Street. **Surprise!** Senior John Millis is scared by fellow senior Michelle Selke. Millis had been talking with friends by the Riley tree.

Study Hour Sophomore Marissa Dungan finds time to do her homework during a busy Thursday. The sophomore was in the Theatre Ink prop room.

Post Glory Sophomores Idan Levy and Matt Alpert relish the moment after winning a basketball game. The game was very important becasue it was against archrival Brookline.

Defining Underclassmen

Being an underclassmen is defined by certain moments in your life. The first day of school as a freshman, taking MCAS during sophomore year getting stressed out about the junior thesis: it is these moments that maje up the underclass experience.

Tim Donovan:

The first few days of school were scary and overwhelming. The upperclassmen were really nice and helped a lot when I got lost around the school. I hope that the next four years will be fun and exciting!

Kevin To:

On the first day of school I had a bit of trouble finding my way to my classes. There were many different colors in the school so I just took one and followed the numbers to where ever I thought my classroom was. I didn't really want to ask anyone, but my friends, if they know where my class was. Unfortunately none of them really knew where my class was, so I was late to every class I went too. Those were really goods times until I found shortcuts and asked more upperclassmen for help, so that I won't be late anymore. Luckily on the first day, it doesn't matter if you're late or early.

Christian Ford:

Playing high school football has been something I always looked forward to since Pop Warner football. It represents your school and yourself. When I was a freshman, I was really excited and happy to end our season with a great record and with crushing Brookline. I couldn't wait until I got to be a sophomore and play on J.V. This year we had a 10-1 record. It included some of the best games I've ever played in. When our season ended, varsity was still had Varsity playing. They were so good that we went to the State Super Bowl. Even though we didn't win, the time we had to play together was great and has changed my experience at Newton North High School. I can't wait until next year.

Freddy Perez:

Up to this point in my junior year, the most important event that has happened has been the junior thesis. Writing 12 pages has not been as easy as I thought it would be, and I have now realized that this is an even bigger deal than I had imagined. For about a month or so I have been researching my topic on baseball during World War II, and it has been difficult finding important information to include in my essay. I have about two months to finish, and hopefully by then I will have done enough work to earn a good grade.

Jeff Hauser:

Coming to NNHS was a big change for me because last year I was home schooled. When I first came to North I became friendly with my friends from elementary school. During Club Day I signed up for the dodge ball club. Three weeks later a dodge ball knocked me out. I like this school, but I often get lost.

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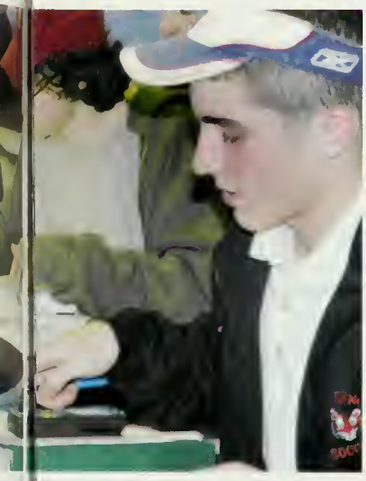
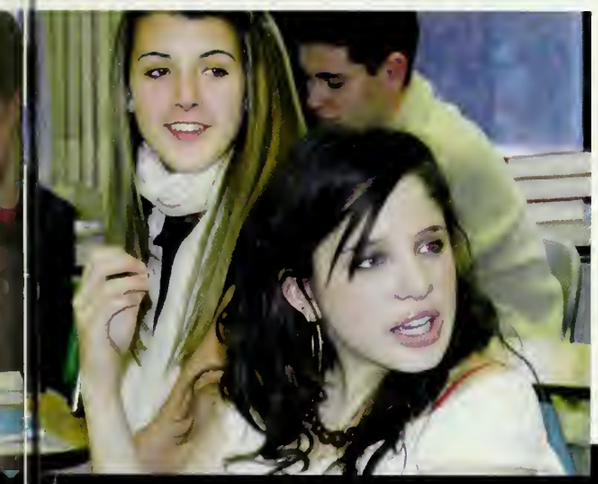
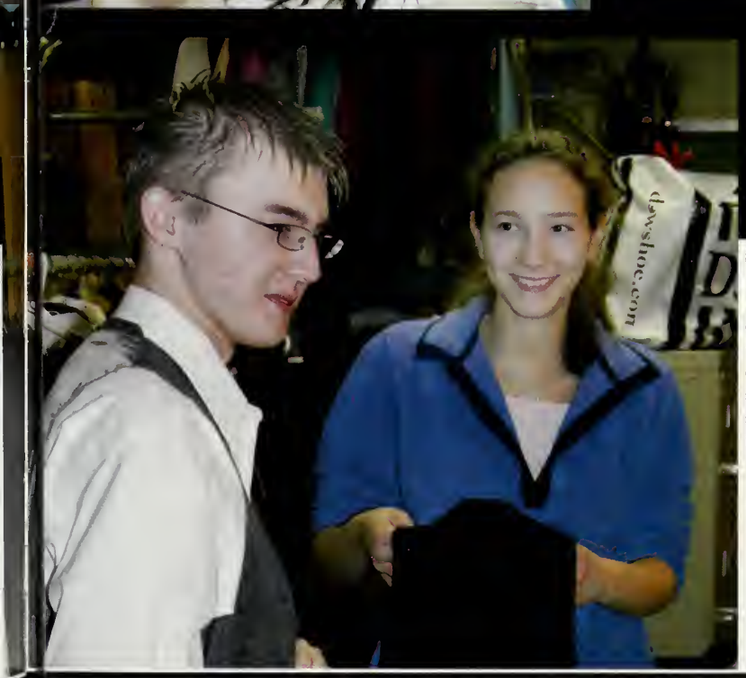


Simply Smiles Freshmen Ali Masterman, Ali Fleischer, Diana Salvucci, Emma Seidemon and Elena Skaletsky spend a few minutes talking on Main St. The girls were happy that the long day was finally over.

y=mx+b Junior Jamie Dyer works away at a math problem using his graphing calculator. Almost all junior math students are required to have graphing calculators.

What's that? After hearing a noise at the door, juniors Stephanie Vana and Sarah Gordon turn to see who has walked in the door. The two were in class at the time of this photo.





Prop Shop Freshman Justine Bunis helps junior Serge Zhivotenko into his costume for *Our Town*. It was one week before showtime when the students were finalizing their costumes.

Look at Me!

With my Friends

People

The shy sophomore who sits in the back of the classroom. The star soccer player who helped her team win the big game of the season. The teacher in his cubicle correcting a never-ending stack of papers. It is clear that Newton North is flooded with thousands of students and faculty whose faces are seen in and around the school. It is nearly impossible to recognize each one of these faces, but you can rest assured that several faces, be it a homeroom friend or a Housemaster, will make you smile every day. Familiar faces become the people who you learn with and learn from.

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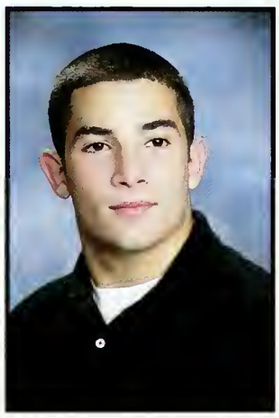
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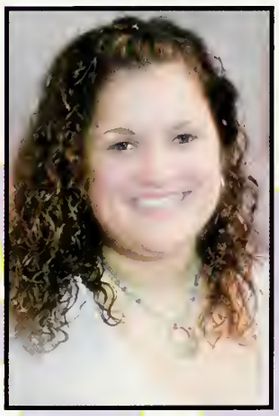
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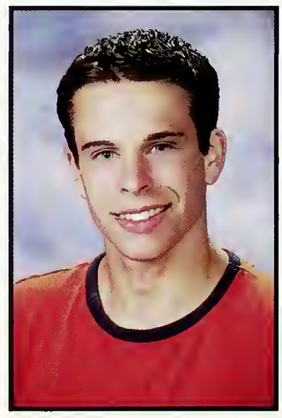
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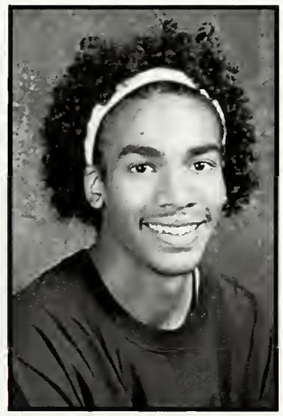
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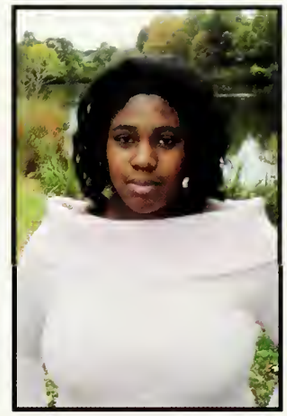
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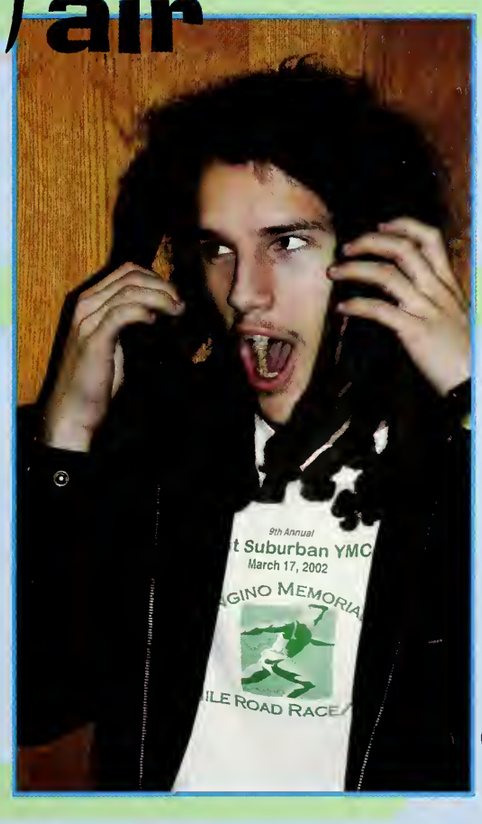

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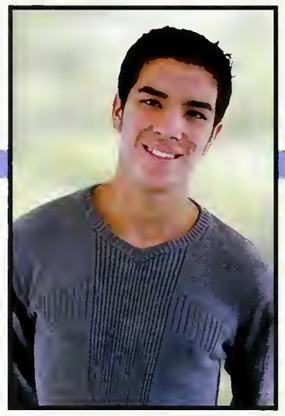

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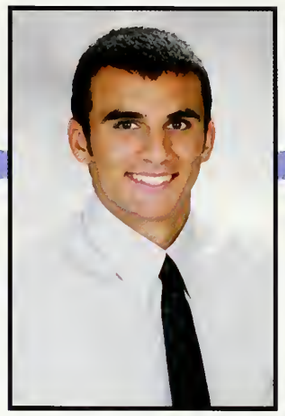

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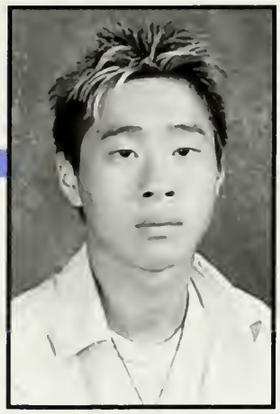
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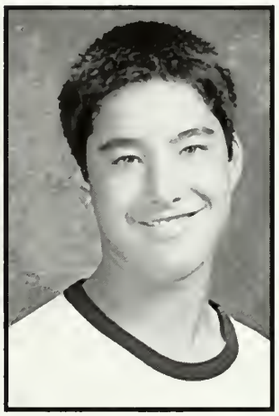
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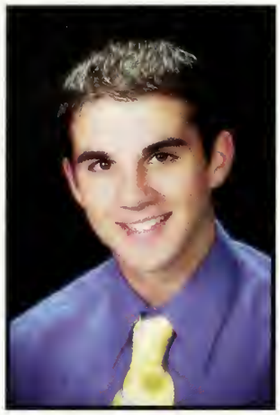
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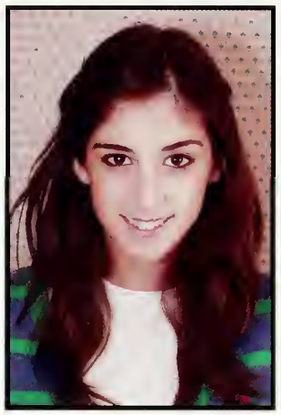
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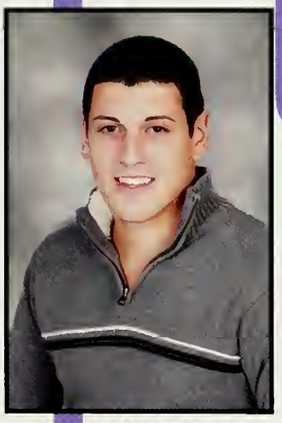

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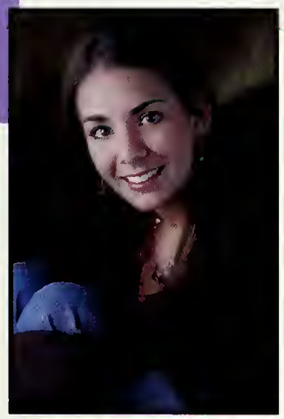

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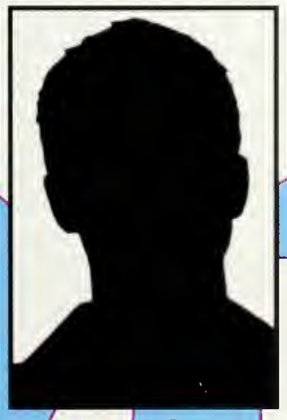

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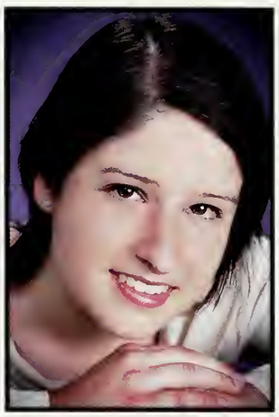
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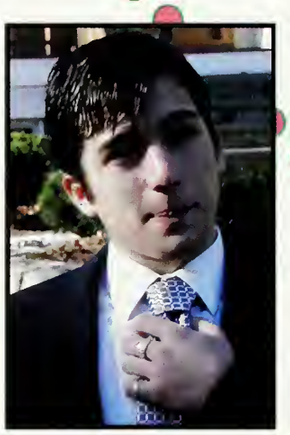
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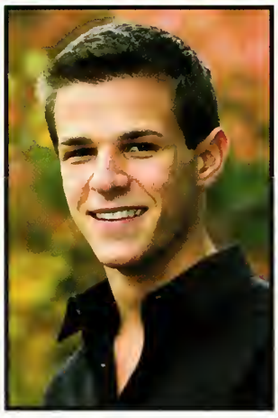
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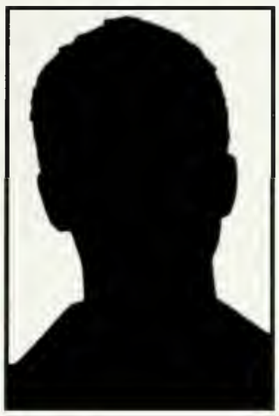
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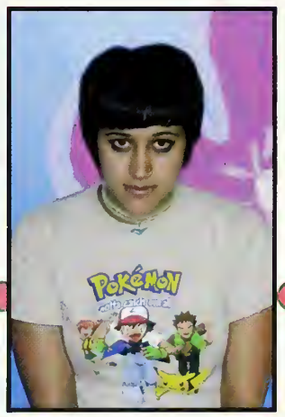

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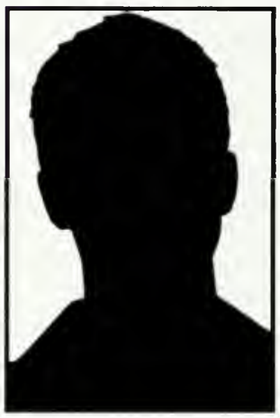
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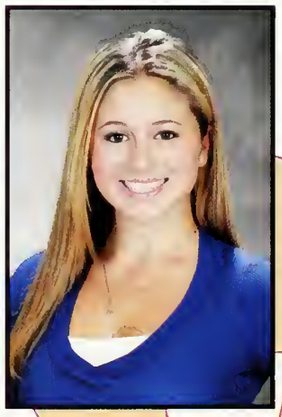
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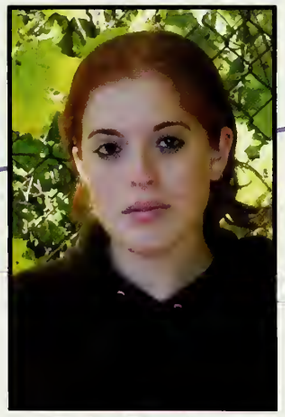
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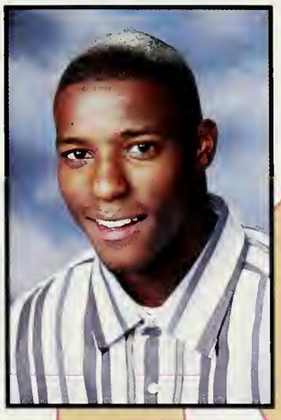
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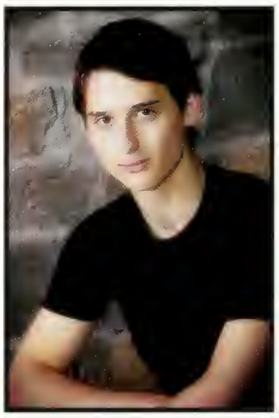
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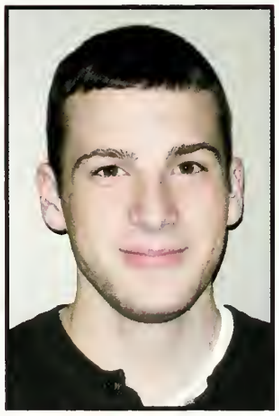
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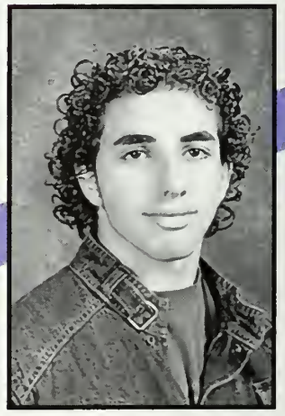
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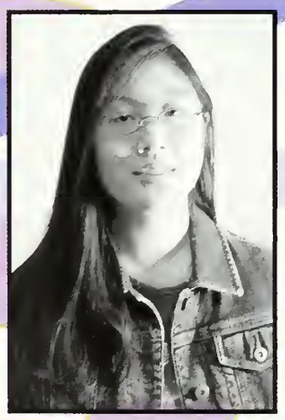
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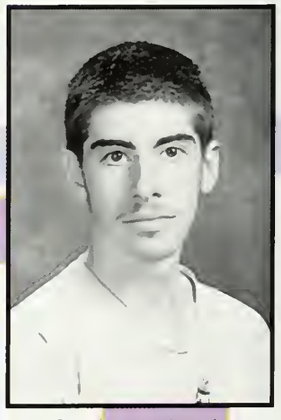
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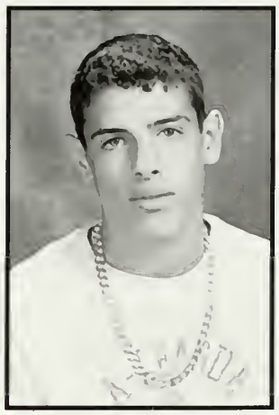
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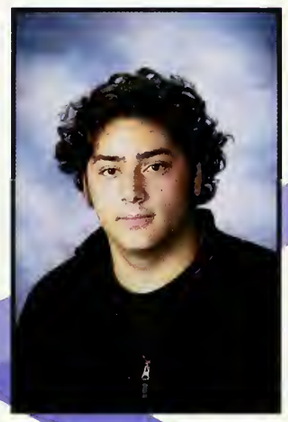
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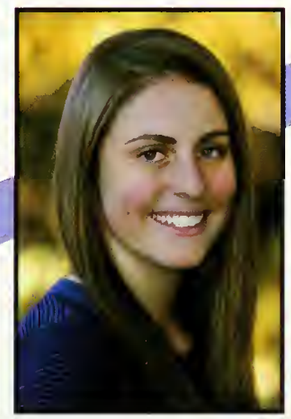
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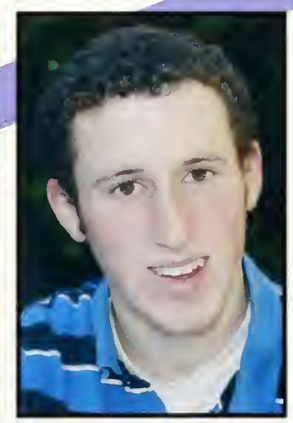
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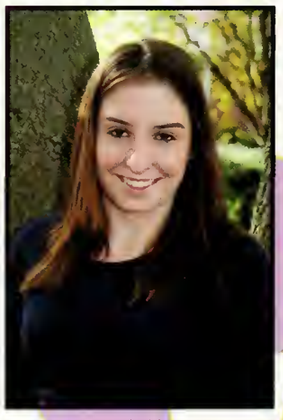
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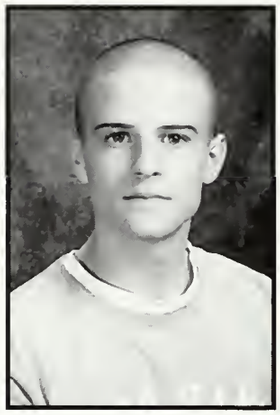
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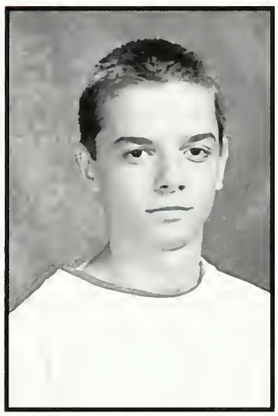
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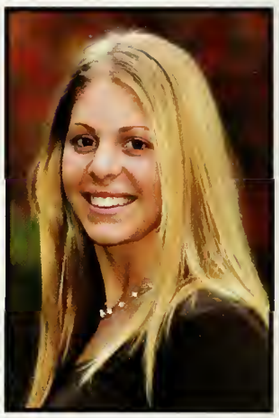
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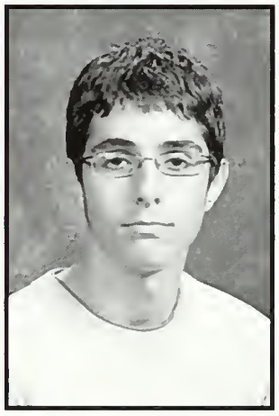
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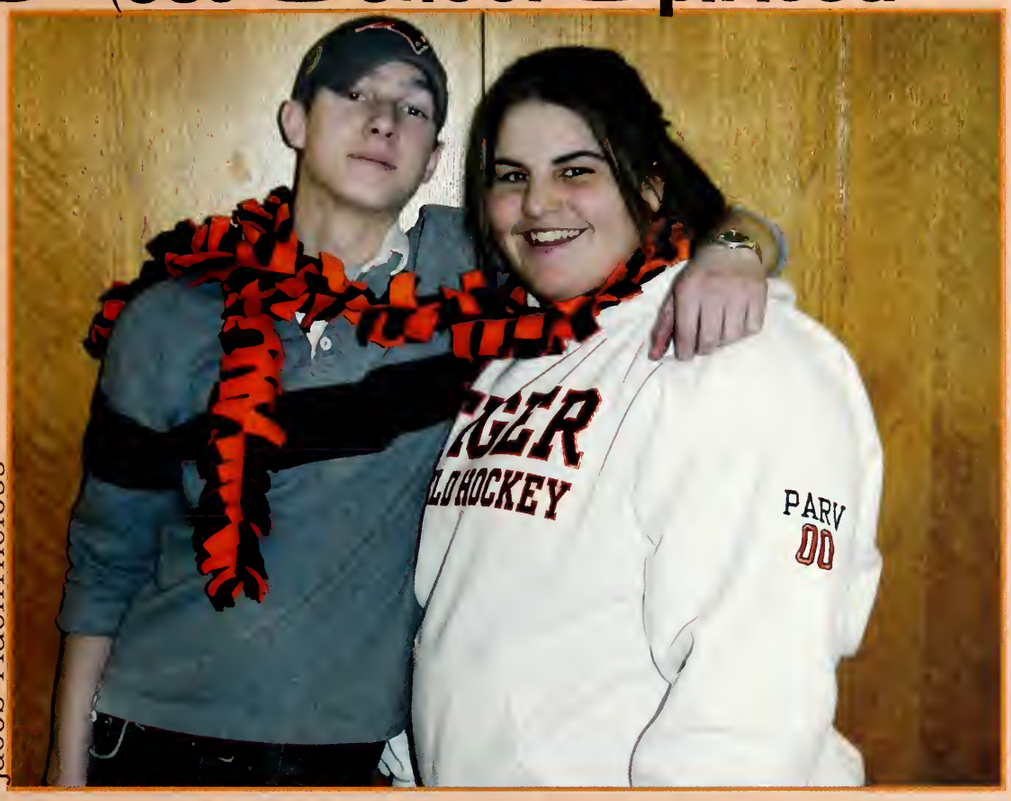

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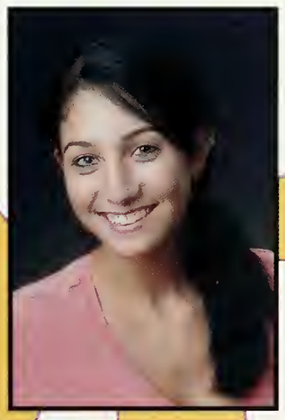

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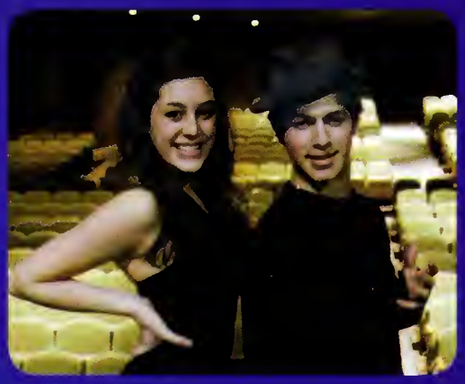

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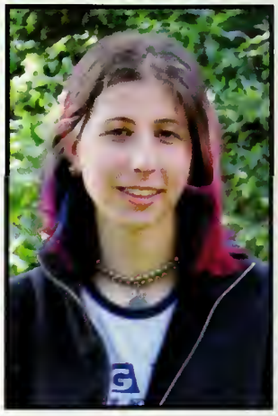
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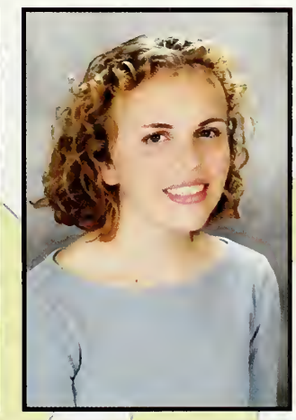
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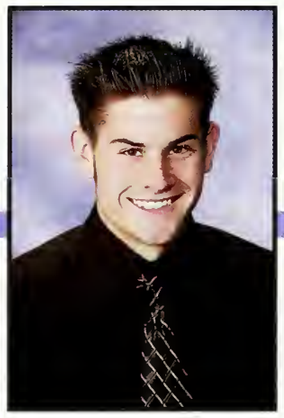
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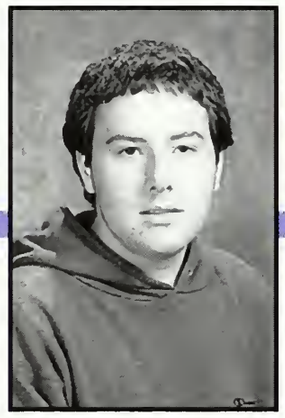
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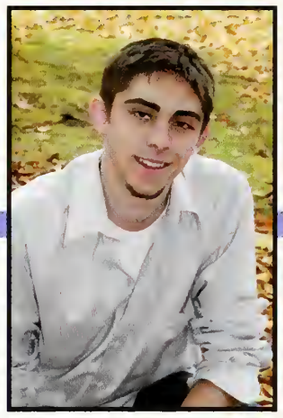
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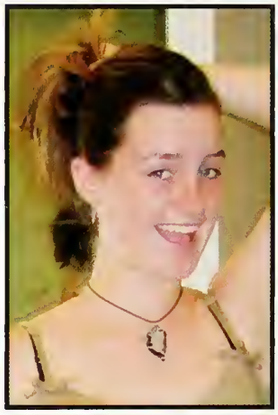
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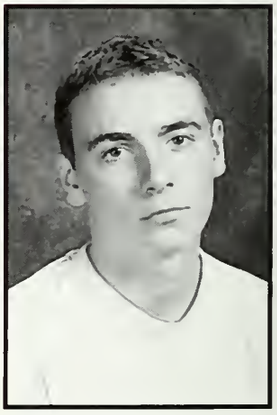
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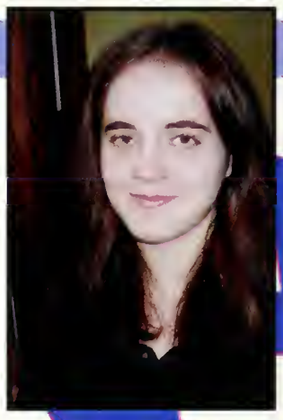
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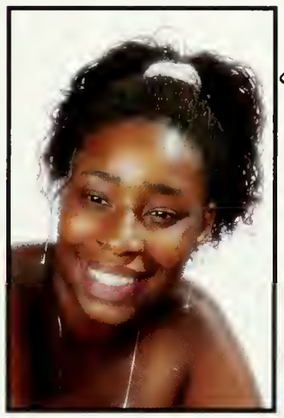
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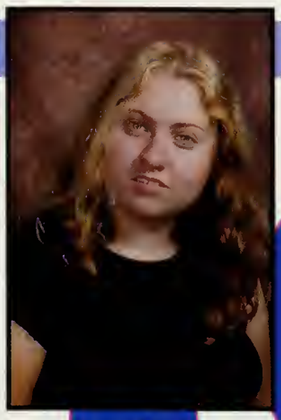
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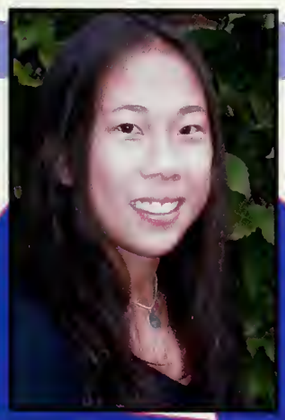
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Most Likely to Win a Grammy

Alaine Norcross

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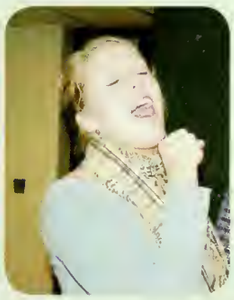

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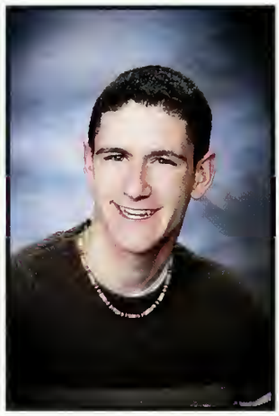
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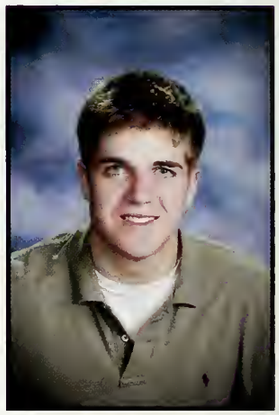
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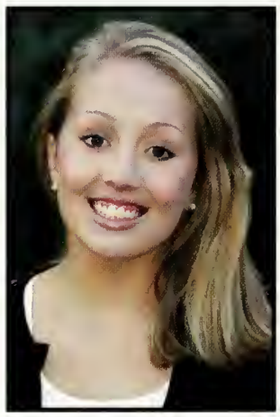
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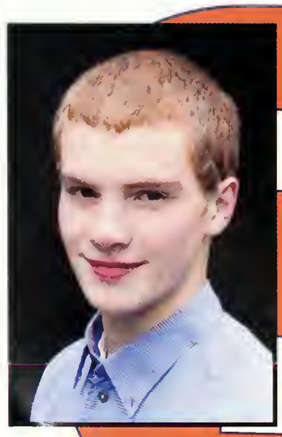
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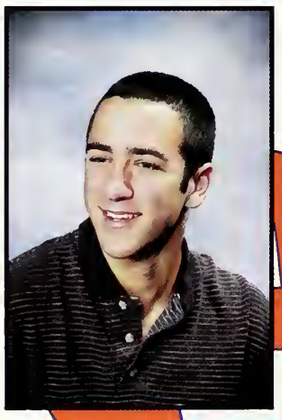
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Kymira Woodberry

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Richard Paglia

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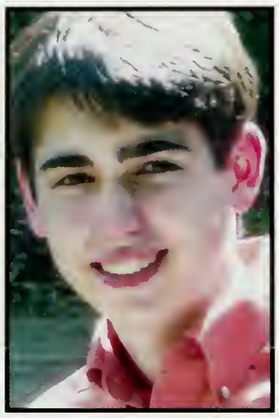
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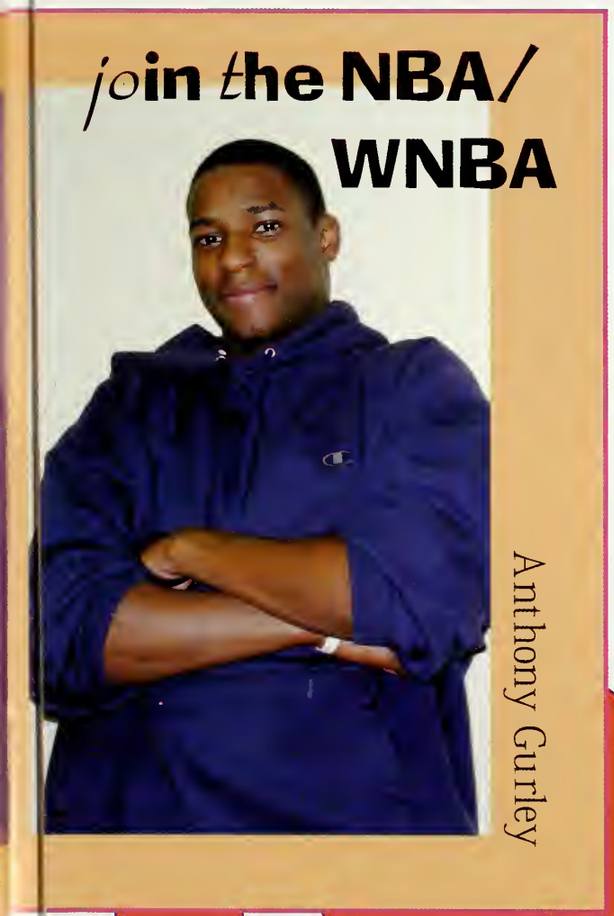

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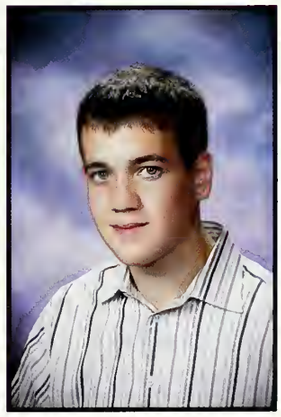
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Jessica Petersan

Jason Pinney

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Charles Popp

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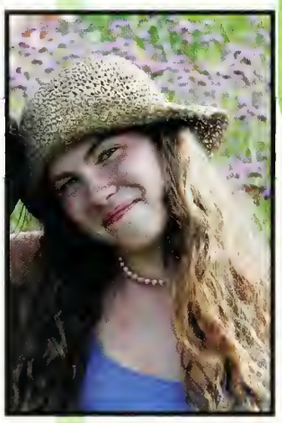
Mary Lauran Hall

Edward Portney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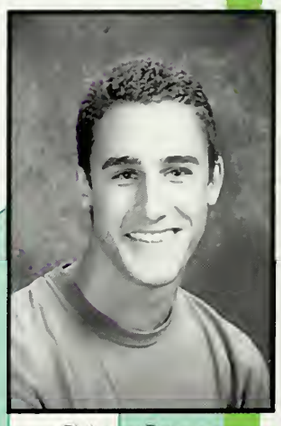
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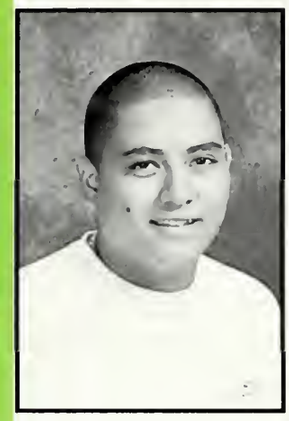
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Kayla Roby

Jessica Rogan

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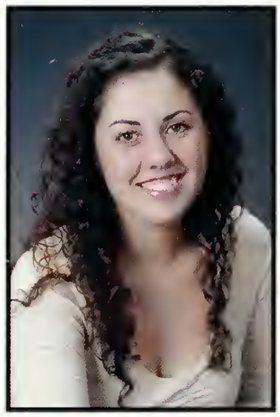
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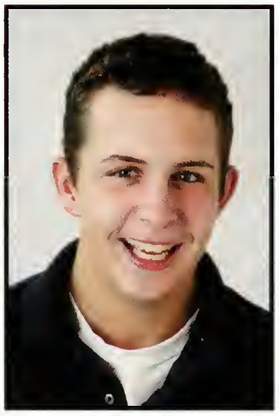
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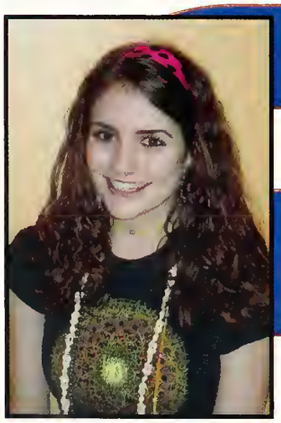
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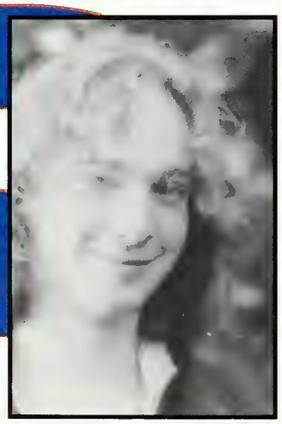
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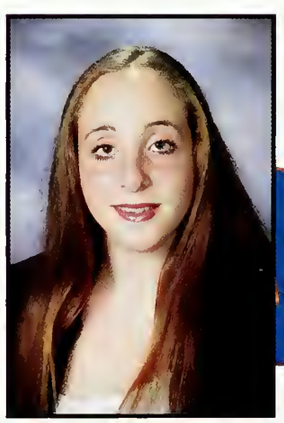
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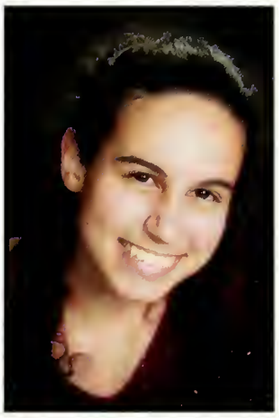
Colette Duffy

John Schindler



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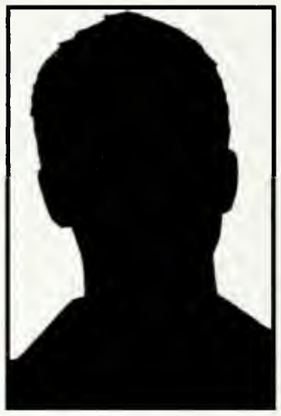
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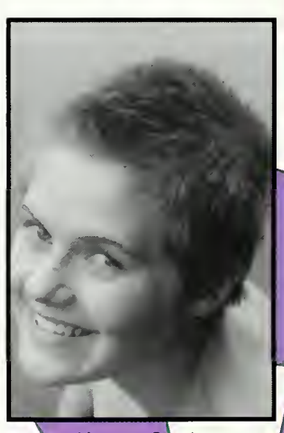
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Most Likely to become the President and CEO of Starbucks

Maria Fulwiler

Zachary Baer

Nicholas Smith

Shin Young Song

Eric Sorensen

Joshua Sowalsky

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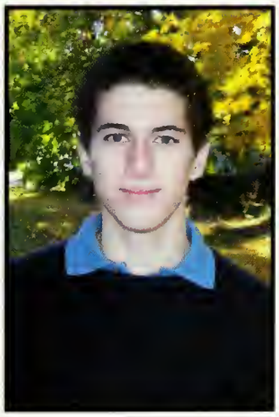
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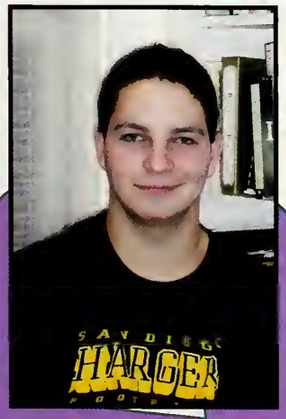

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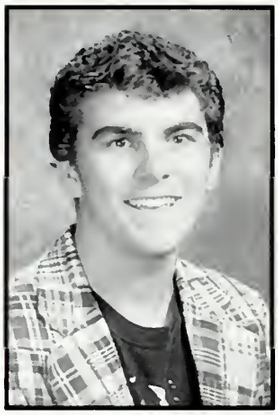
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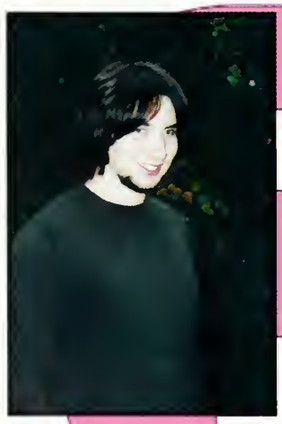
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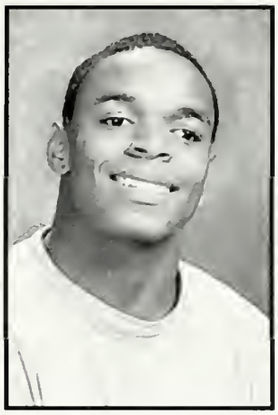
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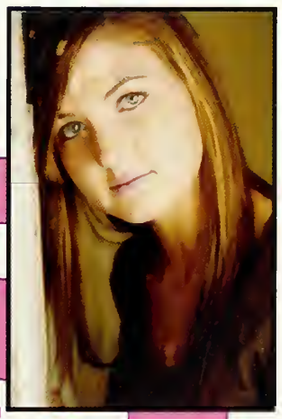
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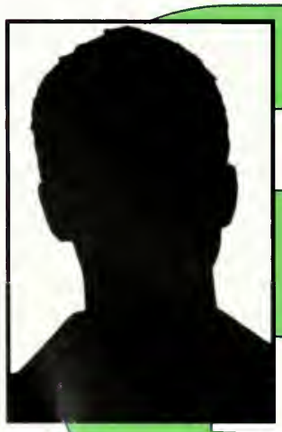

Dave Whyte

Dan Wieder

Danielle Williamson

Rachel Wilson

Sarah Wilson

Most Likely to Have Their Own Reality Show

Rebecca Schertzer

Michael Huberman

Nicholas Wilton

Nicholas Wolfe

Kymira Woodberry

Matthew Woolf

Cihui Xie

Bo Xu

Matthew Yashinsky

Ming Da Ye

Kevin Yee

Katelan Young

Amy Yu

Lawrence Yu

Michaela Yule

Viorica Zeqo

Chen Zheng

Matthew Zimmer

Anna Ziskend

Todd Zusman

Most likely to edit the Wall Street Journal

David Charns & Lauren Cohen

Most likely to cure Cancer

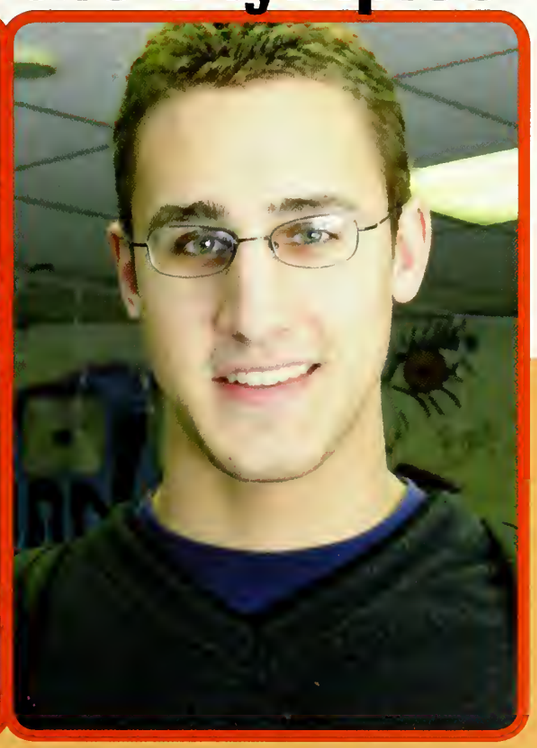
Sarah Schlegal & Matthew Woolf

Most likely to have their work in the Museum of Fine Arts

Madoka Fukai & Marco Planine-Troiani

fortune wishes laughter gifts friendship

Most likely to Win a Gold Medal in the Olympics



Michele Barbone & Philippe Putzeys

Most likely to become the President of the United States

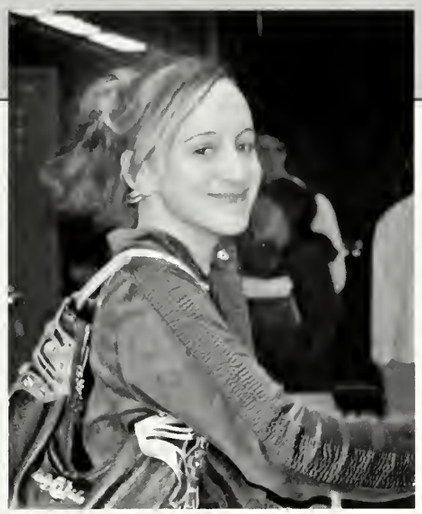
Szeman Lam & Josh Nathan

Next Michael Kelso on "That 70's Show"

Nick Wolfe & Jessica Rubin

dreams good times wishes advice stories

Underclass



2007 2007 2007

The undercloss is the backbone of this school. It makes up the majority of the student population, and is the future of our community. From first year freshmen fears to the junior thesis, underclassmen stick together and help each other to learn, grow, and explore new things. Just as the class of 2006, the classes of 2007, 2008, and 2009 will one day be able to look back at their four years at North and know that they gave it their all and made this high school a better place.

2008 2008 2008

2009 2009 2009

See you after class. Juniors Andrew Crede, Joe Penta, Scott Kassi, and Jim Davis make plans to meet up after B-block.

So then... Junior Jillian Ings relates a story from earlier that day to her friend Sammy Siegal. The girls try to squeeze in time between classes to catch up on each other.

Class of

Chupacabra? Juniors Betsy Strewler and Navah Rosenbaum talk about the hot new comedian of 2006. Dane Cook has released several albums of his stand up comedy and performed all over the country.

What are you listening to? Junior Ed McCabe plugs into his iPod for the long journey down Main Street. Most students at North listen to either an iPod or other Mp3 player or a walkman between (and sometimes during) classes.

Junior Year. Even the name strikes fear into the hearts of sophomore students. As one of the most stressful years, most students do not want to come to the first day of classes in September. Anxiously they wait over the summer for the beginning of the end. September passes and the pressure builds. But then they realize; the junior thesis isn't that bad. It's really just a lot of fact finding and organizing your own thoughts. The 50 notecard per night homework may get to some people, but in the end you can realize all that you created. Congratulations, Juniors! You are about to become seniors, apply to college, travel, and slump! Have fun and remember that time flies!

So what did you get? After class, juniors Stacey Guarino and Biance Harris talk about their grades.

Friends forever. Juniors Stephanie Caughlin and Lisa Arcavio stop for a hug near the blue lockers. The two girls spent part of first semester hosting Spanish exchange students.

# of 2007

Is it chicken? Juniors Kyle Nichols-Schmalze and Alex Hartshorn ponder how items ranging from pens and pencils to half eaten chicken sandwiches end up in the "blue tree."

I'll sign it, if you gimme candy Juniors Ina Alekseyer and Sally Zuar sign up for clubs during club day. With so many clubs giving away free candy, they didn't know where to look first!

Beals.

1 more year... 2007 Beals Junior Portraits

Taylor Adams

Martha Adams-Cooper

Edward Agner

Jason Albana

Anna Albertson

Ina Alekseyev

Michael Altman

Zachary Amato

Zachary Amittay

William Andersen

Samuel Andersan

Lisa Arcavia

Anneliese Arno

Joseph Aswad

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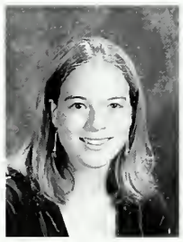
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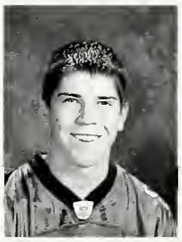
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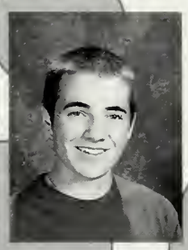
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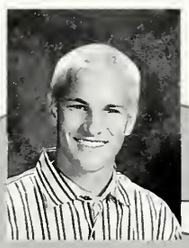
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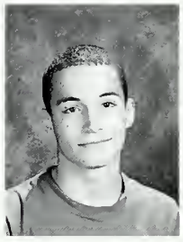
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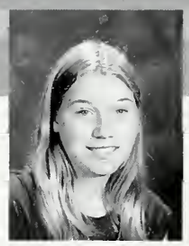
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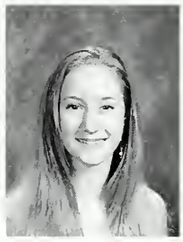
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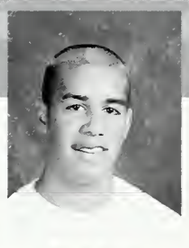
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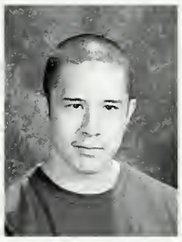
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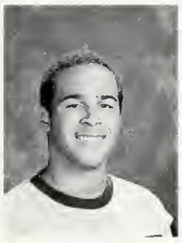
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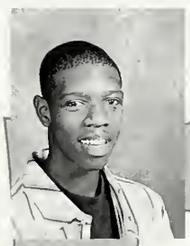
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I dunno... Sophomore Ben Chebot talks with his friends about one of his classes on the first floor. Most students involved in music and theatre can be found in any first floor hallway. **Oy Vey!!** Sophomore Emily Strange complains about how much work she has and the little sleep she got the night before to friend Claire Pywell. Sophomore year, without the challenge of the Junior Thesis, still involves a lot of work, and most students agree that they don't have enough time to sleep. **Lunchbox of Laughs.** Sophomores Josie Sedgwick and Gwyneth Ross laugh at a joke told by one of their friends. Most students prefer to relax in the hallways during lunch, hanging out with friends and telling jokes rather than eating in the crowded cafeteria. **Walk Around** Sophomore CJ Cameroto takes a stroll down Main St.

Class of

of 2008

You're halfway there now. You've fought you way through the hallways as a freshmen, and returned slightly more acclimated to the school. Up next you have the thesis, the junior and senior proms, and who knows how many "all-nighters." Take your time, work hard, and enjoy high school. Soon you'll be the ones preparing to walk down the aisle, accept your diploma, and flip your tassel!

Halfway there

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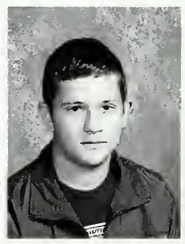
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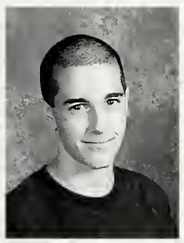
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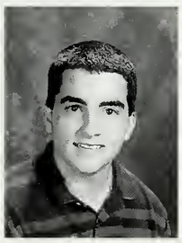
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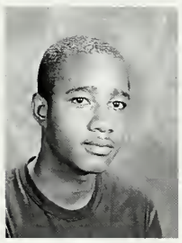
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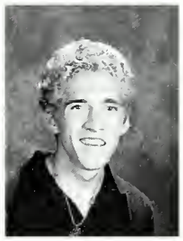
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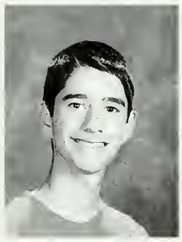
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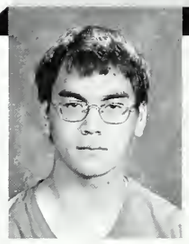
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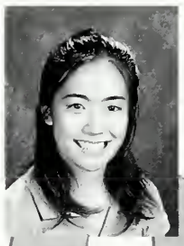
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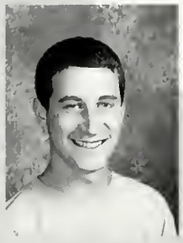
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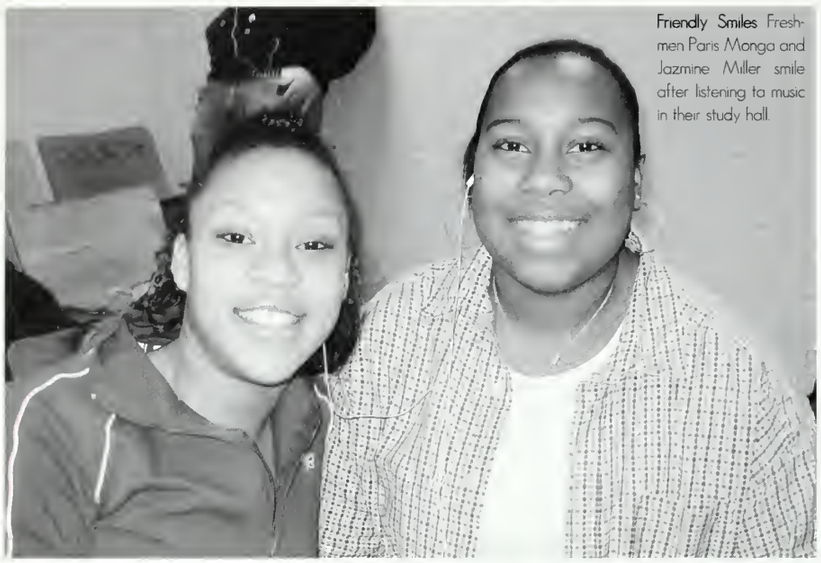
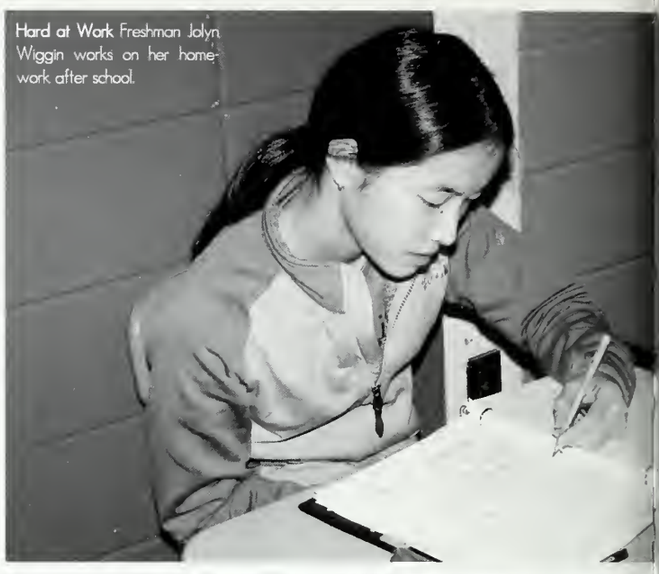


Friendly Smiles Freshmen Paris Monga and Jazmine Miller smile after listening to music in their study hall.



Hard at Work Freshman Jolyn Wiggin works on her homework after school.

Listen Up! Freshman Maddie McSally and Kristen Moody listen to an iPod while hanging out on Main St.

Class of

High-Tech Freshman Jeffrey Ambrasi works at a computer during his E-Block business class.

The freshmen, class of 2009, will be enduring some of the craziest years at Newton North. You'll be getting a new principal, have to deal with the decisions surrounding the new school, changing student population, and numerous budget cuts and changes involving faculty and staff. While you may at times feel stressed, know that the hard work that you put in here will help you in the future. Take the time that you have in this high school and put it to good use. Don't blink. Time passes fast.

# of 2009

Freshmen 2009

Barry you made it! only 3 left...

Morgan Abbott

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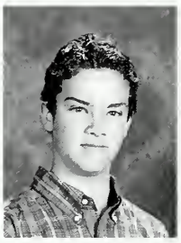
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Maalika Banerjee

Jaseph Banks

George Barclay

Nora Barnicle

Loriane Barossi-Pesarini

Kelvin Bauer

Jeremy Bayes

Miriam Beit-Aharon

Anthony Bejarano

Rebecca Bell-Gurwitz

Joseph Belschner

Matthew Berkowitz

Jonathan Berman

Adam Bertling

Brittany Bethune

Frees

Vincent Bibuld

Alexandra Binder

Samuel Bock

Michelle Bonine

Mark Baudreau

Jeffrey Bradley

Joshua Bradley

Hagai Brandon

Tina Brin

Nellie Braderick

Rachel Branstein

Louis Brown

Chanel Browne

Stephanie Brysan

Justine Bunis

Michael Cadogan

Patrick Calamare

Gwendolyn Campera

Kelli Camusa

Patrick Carrera

Andrew Carusa

Joseph Carusa

Michelle Carusa

Gil Caspi

Benjamin Cassidy

Joseph Castagnina

Cheayann Castriatta

Caitlin Caudill

Nina Cedrone

Julie Chan

Sandra Chan

David Chau

Tony Chen

Erika Chaw

Marcus Anthony Chu

Dominika Civitella

Alexander Clark

Alicia Clarke

Allison Clatt

Anton Cochran

Gregory Cohan

Douglas Cohen

men

Frosh

William Cohen

Tyler Coleman

Michael Collins

Derek Colston

Reva Conescu

David Connors

Caroline Cooke

Elizabeth Cooke

Andrew Cossaboom

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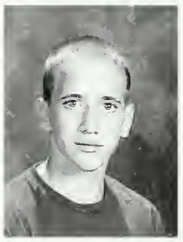
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Kendra Dolor

Olivia Donnini

Brendan Donovan

Carrie Donovan

Timothy Donovan

Jonah Dorfman

Sophie Dover

Matthew Doyle

Rebecca Doyle

Eli Dreyfus

Tanicio Drigo

Anna Dukhovich

Sophia Duncan

Alyssa Dunton

Anthony D'Urso

Eric Edelstein

Erica Efstratoudakis

Philip Engelke

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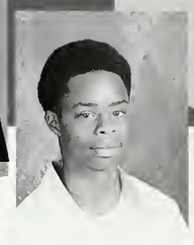
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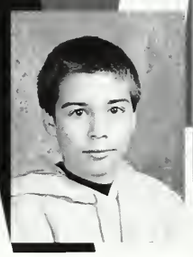
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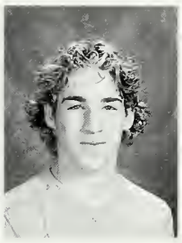
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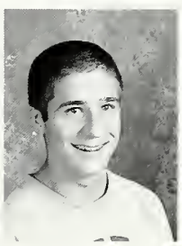
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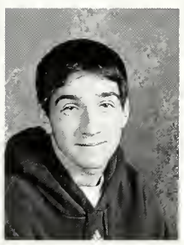
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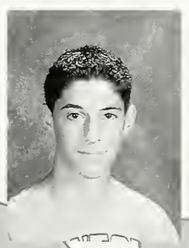
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Visual Instructions Career and Technology Education teacher Sue Brooks teaches her F-Block Visual Arts and Communication Exploratory class

On the Job Librarian Annette Tate helps a student with a research question using her computer

Faculty

They're the reason we all came to school every day. The faculty and staff at Newton North work tirelessly to give students a superb and utterly unique education. It can be a most rewarding job, to educate America's youth. But it can also be thankless. So far all those teachers who've stayed up late grading papers, all those custodians who've cleaned up Main St again, and again, all those administrators who've spent hours trying to figure out schedules for a high school with a population the size of many colleges, and all the other wonderful people who make high school more than just something to "deal with," we say a resounding THANK YOU!

Native Language English teacher Jim Lallas teaches his juniors class about the American classic novel, *The Scarlet Letter*.

Hanging Around Campus Campus Aide David Mosca talks with Adams housemaster Jamie D'Orazio during school

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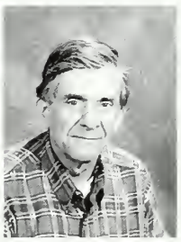
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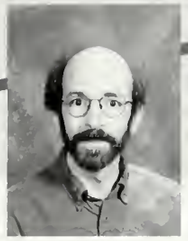

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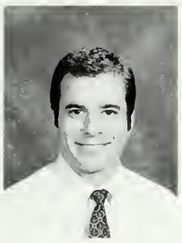
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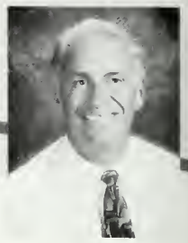
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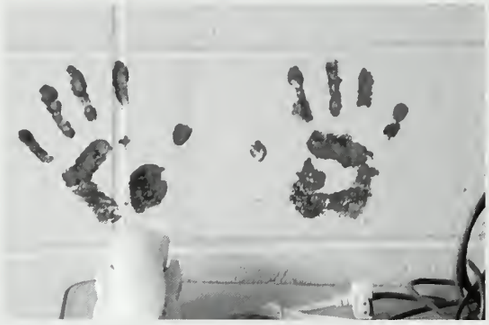
We little knew that morning that God
Was going to call your name
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone;
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.
You left us peaceful memories,
Your love is still our guide;
And though we can not see you,
You are always at our side.
Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the same;
But as God calls us one by one,
The Chain will link again.

Christopher Polci

Every minute that goes by we know that he's still by our side.
Telling us to keep on breathing, telling us to start believing.
Trust them or leave.
And although we can't see you physically, emotionally you'll
always be in our dreams.
You're looking down on us, we know.
You're looking down on us as we grow.
There's never a day that goes by that we doubt how high you fly.
Even though you're not here, we hold you still so dear.
The memories will always be something that affects us
indefinitely.
Love You Always Polci Baby



In Memoriam of

Gretchen Therrien

We Miss You

Dorothy Hughes

We Miss You Dorothy. Love, The World Language Department

Dorothy Hughes was a unique combination of the ideal "old fashioned secretary" and the new "administrative assistant." She knew shorthand and actually used it! She could have taught all of us a few things about the technicalities of writing. Dorothy was the best speller I've ever known. She knew punctuations better than any of us. And she never *guessed* if her work was not perfect it was not done. How many people can say the same? The computer was just another thing for Dot to learn. She kept the tools of the past that made her more efficient and she adapted to the tools of the present that did the same. While the pair may seem incongruous to the rest of us, shorthand and the computer together made perfect sense to Dorothy. She was so diligent and never complained about the many tasks that she did. She made everything look effortless.

Dot loved to learn. She went to France with Dave and Anita Phelan when Dave was still here and absolutely loved it! She was always traveling and she loved hearing about others' travels. When you told her about a trip, you could kind of see the wheels turning in her head, like maybe she was thinking that where you had been might be her own next trip. She was learning Spanish last year and the Spanish teachers would greet her in Spanish and await her well-thought out reply. She was just interested in a lot of things and people and places. It made one wonder about the younger Dorothy.

She was a quiet kind of person. Each of us, in the World Language Department, thought that we were her special friend. She had a way of making you feel like that; like what you shared with her was special. And each of us did have a unique relationship with Dorothy. In December on Secretaries' Day, Dot's desk was always covered with presents. She knew the idiosyncrasies of each of us and still she liked us! We will miss her sweet smile and quiet laugher. We loved her and will miss her a great deal.

-Junita O'Neill

Thank you Dot for putting meaning into "How are you?" You always really meant the question and cared.

-Ana Tellado

Dorothy Hughes was not only the most helpful, efficient, and multi-talented secretary, but also a loyal, compassionate, and fun friend and neighbor. Our dinners, walks, and adventures in South Boston will be sorely missed (especially on St. Patrick's Day!) You are so loved Dot - thank you for all you have done and all you have been. Rest in peace.

-Jane Monahan

There's a new song on the radio, a song that I like and that I've heard several times since hearing that Dot had left us last week. Its sweet refrain is "you're beautiful, you're beautiful, you're beautiful to me".

Dot was beautiful to everyone in the WL department and she was indeed beautiful to me. There is no question that she was an exceptional secretary. She was consummately competent, had an ability to multi-task and problem solve like no one I've ever known. She knew just about everything when it came to this school and certainly to the department. And when on those rare occasions, she didn't know, she found out within ten seconds flat. She was conscientious and highly efficient; in fact she had her own foreign language- her shorthand-which always made me marvel. (Indeed I made the mistake last year of mentioning Dot's shorthand skills to my department head colleagues, and several of them wanted to steal her.) And her proofreading was impeccable! She could spot a typo or missing apostrophe or semi-colon from miles away. Yet along with those longstanding and almost old-fashioned skills, Dot readily embraced the new and the modern. She was as comfortable with a computer as she was with a typewriter and she often used these new skills to help us out or teach us how to do something.

All of these qualities are important ones, but they are not what made Dot beautiful to us. What made her beautiful was her very person. She personified kindness, grace and humility in every way. She was kind and good to students, parents and others that she did not know, and kind and good to those of us whom she knew well. She exhibited a genuine affection and caring for members of the WL department; when she asked how you were, she sincerely meant it; when she asked (and ask she did) what you did over the weekend or on vacation, she genuinely wanted to know and she wanted details. Dot was also was fiercely protective of the teachers in the WL department. She did everything in her power to make our work lighter. When anyone had a problem or needed anything, even on the spur of the moment, she would drop what she was doing to help us out. And we had her confidence. The epitome of discretion, we could tell Dot anything and could rest assured that it went no further than her. What made Dot beautiful were her good nature and her love of laughter. And we did laugh on so many occasions. I can still hear her laughing when I used to tell her that when she and Hilda retired, I would have to leave as well, because they ran the show in the WL department.

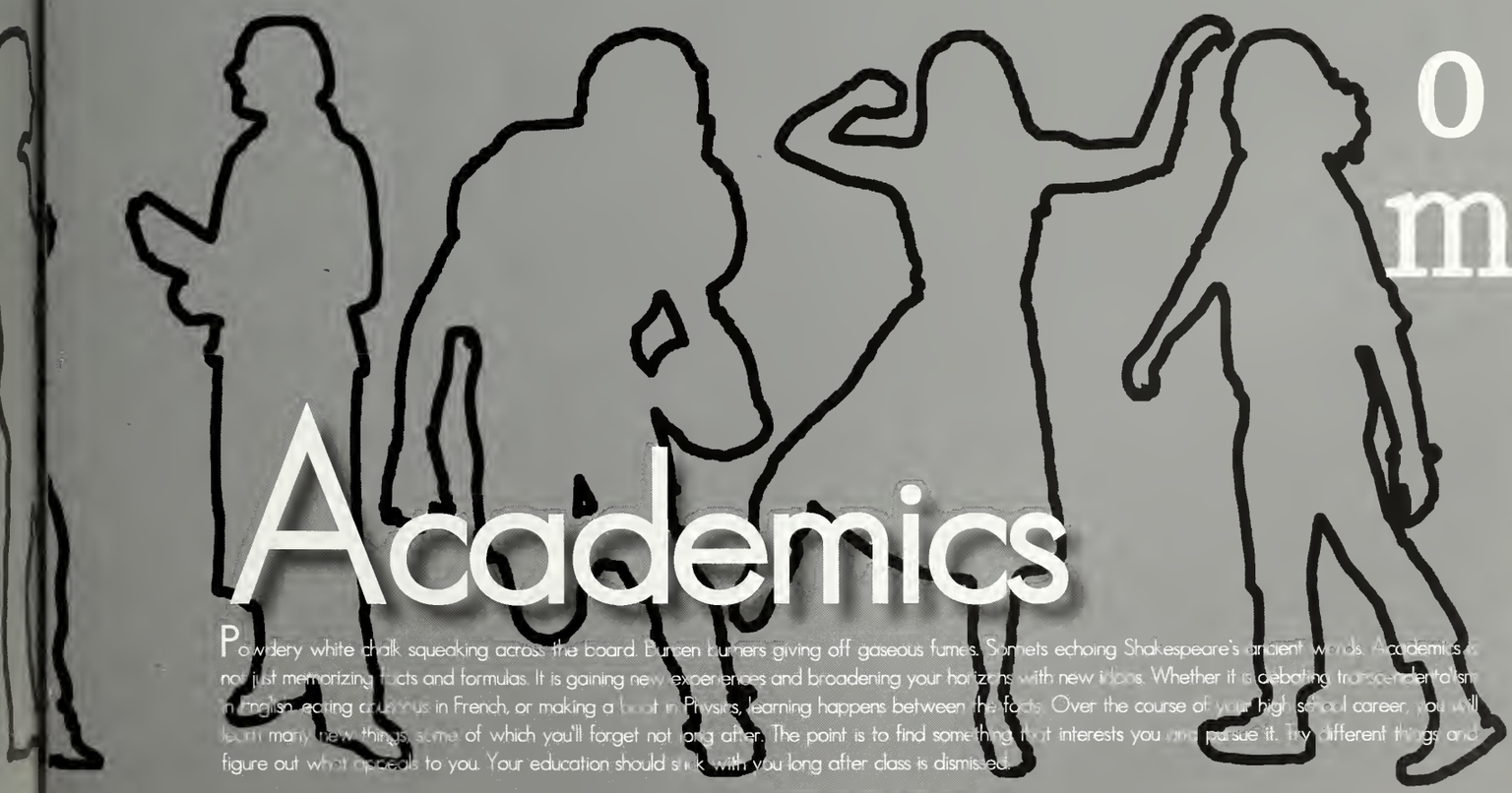
What made her beautiful were her sense of her adventure and passion for life - a passion that included travel and exploring new places, finding and trying out new restaurants, buying and wearing new pin or necklace, socializing at department parties, shopping at Chico's, her curiosity, her reading and her never ceasing to learn.

Dot was indeed beautiful to us, and beautiful to me. I considered her my partner here at Newton North and I frankly feel a bit lost without her. In her quiet and ever gentle way, she deeply touched my life and I feel blessed to have known her. I pray that you may rest in peace, Dot, and hope you know how beautiful you were to us and that we will always carry you in our hearts.

-Nancy Marinucci

Look at Me! 2006

In the Classroom



Academics

Powdery white chalk squeaking across the board. Bunsen burners giving off gaseous fumes. Sonnets echoing Shakespeare's ancient words. Academics is not just memorizing facts and formulas. It is gaining new experiences and broadening your horizons with new ideas. Whether it is debating transcendentalism in English, reciting conjugations in French, or making a boat in Physics, learning happens between the facts. Over the course of your high school career, you will learn many new things, some of which you'll forget not long after. The point is to find something that interests you and pursue it. Try different things and figure out what appeals to you. Your education should stick with you long after class is dismissed.

Point of Interest Principal Jennifer Huntington proudly points to a poster containing the lyrics to the patriotic song "America the Beautiful" which was written by a Newton North alum

Final Farewell

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Dear Members of the Class of 2006,

First, many congratulations! You are now Newton North graduates – and that's something to be very proud of for the rest of your lives whatever your next steps may be. Once an NN Tiger, always an NN Tiger – with all the pride that goes with that name. I know that you have worked very hard over your four years to get to this place, so my congratulations are truly heartfelt.

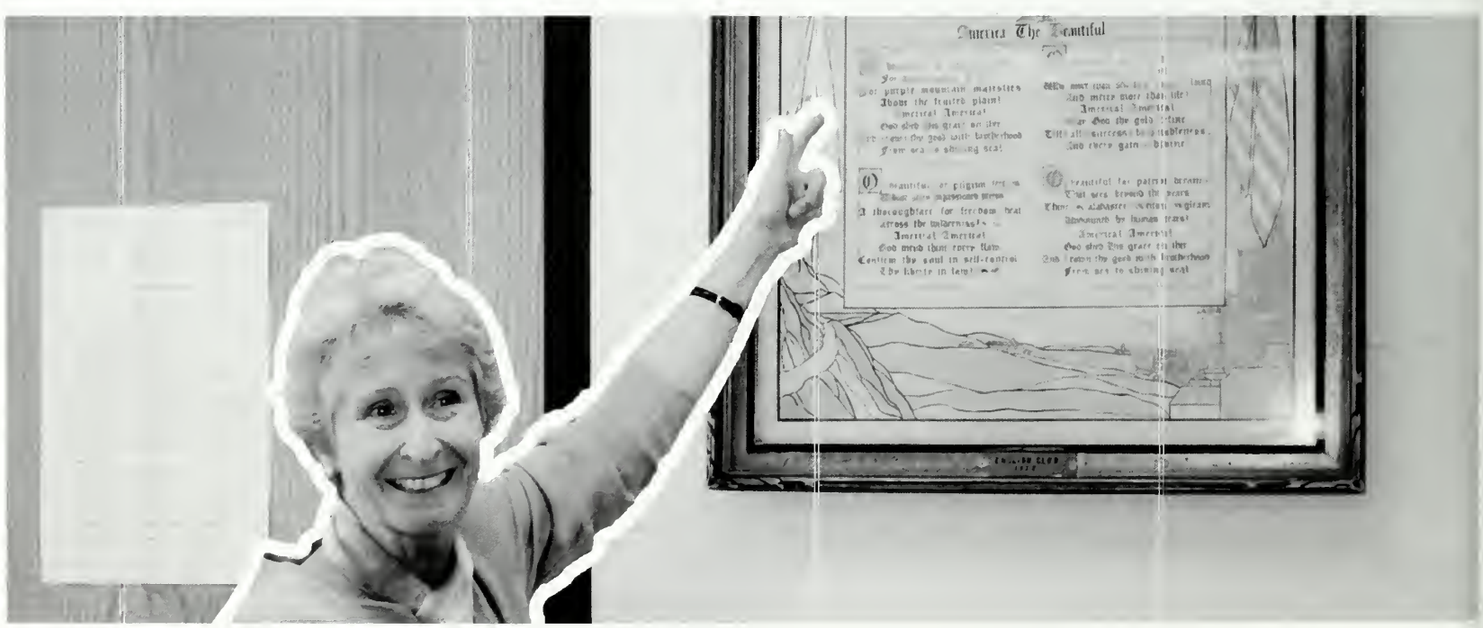
Second, I know that you will enjoy this 2006 edition of the *Newtonian* for many years to come. It's your yearbook with all the memories of the year, of your classmates, of the many and varied achievements you have accomplished, the fun times and the sad ones too. I hope that you will keep it and look at with pleasure for many years.

Finally, I have called you NN Tigers – I know that you will also remember all that goes with the experiences you have had here and that embedded in that name: academic achievement, extra-curricular experiences and learning to respect each other no matter what your differences.

You are a wonderful class which has endured some tough times and sad losses. My graduation wish for you is to make the most of the years to come, look back with pride on your accomplishments, and be grateful to everyone who helped you get to this place.

Congratulations Tigers of 2006!

Jennifer M. Huntington



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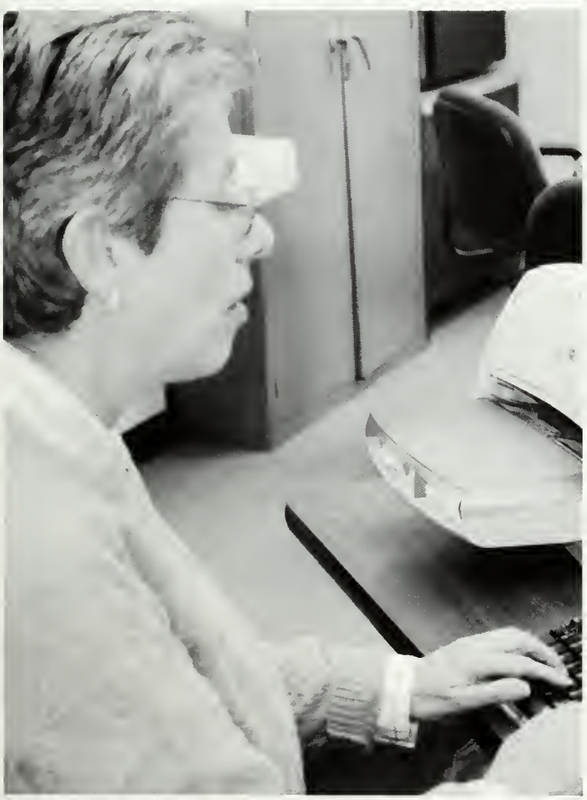
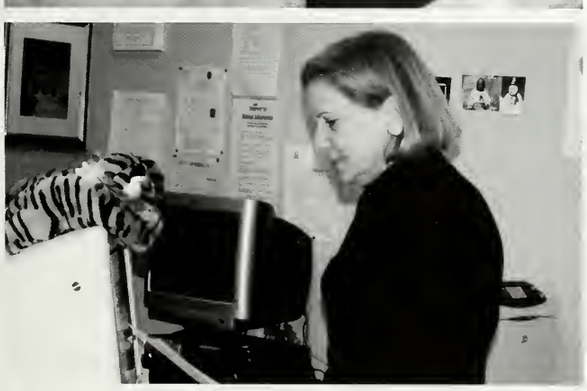




A school as large as this one does not work on its own. It requires talented people and hard work to make it run smoothly. The faculty that worked at the Data Center, Records Office, and Main Office filled this role by handling all the little details--and larger problems--that came along in any large institution.

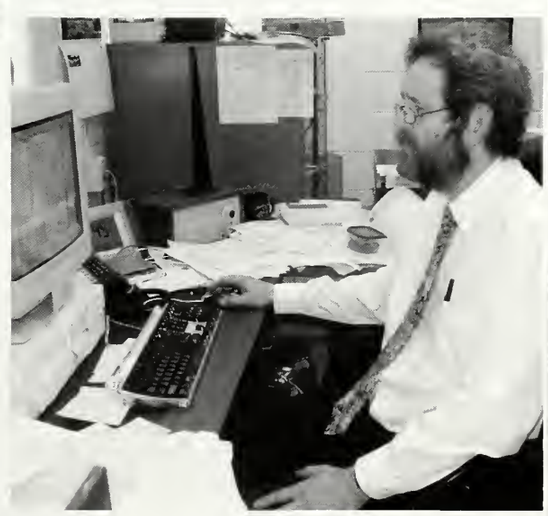
The many responsibilities of the Data Center and Records Office included student schedules, teacher schedules, report cards, warnings, and attendence. Making sure that no schedules overlapped and everyone had the appropriate number of blocks was no easy task. Together, Richard Ballou and Janet Cattens created student report cards and warnings, and also kept track of the attendence. Obviously, this was a job that required much time and effort throughout the entire year.

At the start of each school year, Richard Ballou writes a lengthy, detailed report to the School Committee to inform them of the class sizes. This helps the School Committee regulate the class sizes to ensure optimal teaching environments for future years. This is an important part of the process that makes Newton North a school of such quality.

The Main Office differed in its objective in that it handled larger problems, working with Principal Jennifer Huntington and the assistant principals to set guidelines for the school and deal with the issues that inevitably arose.

The administrative staff of our school worked daily to make this school as efficient as possible. Through their hard work and dedication, the rest of the staff could focus on what was, after all, the main focus of the school: to teach and learn.

Re-call Head Secretary Janice Ingemi organizes Principal Jennifer Huntington's schedule during the day. **Point and Click** Assistant Principal Susan Ostrer, during her first year in a new position, works on her computer to keep the school functioning. **Roar!** With her stuffed animal tiger watching, Janet Cattens views information stored on her computer in the Data Center and Records Office. The Data Center maintained information on all the classes, students, and staff in the school. **Lists Galore** Assistant Principal Richard Ballou organizes data in long lists to keep track of information about the school.



06 Riley

It has been a privilege and a pleasure working with you these past four years. I have enjoyed getting to know you individually and as a group. Your energy and effort have motivated me daily. Your commitment to excellence in all areas of our school has been unequaled.

These past four years you have faced the many challenges of High School head on. You have learned to take risks, accept challenges, and most of all accept responsibility for yourselves.

Four years ago, I spoke to you about all of the different moments and life experiences ahead. I told you we would share some good times and some difficult ones. While I will always remember the good times, it was the difficult times where you made me most proud to be your housemaster. Our class has had more than its share of rough times. Your care and compassion enabled all of us to cope with the realities we faced.

I know your best days are in the future and you will make the most of what life has to offer. Please know you have made Newton North High School a better place with your presence.

Thank You and Good Luck,
Mr. Aronson

Organization is key Riley Secretary Maura Roberts looks at her binder to see the schedule for the day. House secretaries are in charge of everything from late notes to housemasters' schedules. **What did you say?** Maura Roberts, the secretary for Riley house, looks up from her work in response to a student's question.

"We have the best secretary and the nicest housemaster!"

- Christina D'Amore

"I feel connected to my class. We really come together this year, and learning is fun."

- Andrew Miner

"I love Beals house, it's awesome!"

- Erik Dowe

"It's been a tough year, but it's been lots of fun, going by fast. Beals is the place to be."

- Katy Wong

On Call Beals secretary Cheryl Stover works on her computer in her office. **I'm Late! I'm Late!** Freshman Nina Cederone gets a late pass from Beals secretary Cheryl Stover.

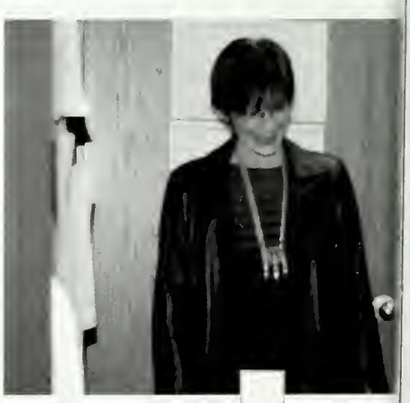
Dear Class of 2007:

Congratulations to all of you! I am very proud of what you have accomplished this year. Your Junior Year was perhaps the most challenging one at Newton North so far. The academic expectations were more demanding and, of course, there was the Junior Thesis. You have set higher goals for yourselves and you have excelled and grown.

Our school has been enriched by your contributions and participation in athletics, the arts, and clubs. Your caring and concern for one another are at the heart of who we are and what we do.

Keep smiling! SENIOR YEAR, HERE WE COME!!!!

Meredith Ghattas

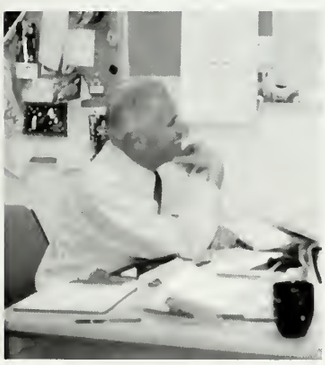


07 Beals

08 Adams

You have formed an identity: you are a class that cares deeply about your classmates. As your second year comes to an end this should be as much a part of your legacy as when you leave Newton North High School in two years. Continue to ask "What can I do to make the situation better?. . . What can I do to make someone who feels uncomfortable, feel more comfortable?" This should be your mantra, this should be how you lead as you become upperclassmen, gate keepers of the school for the next two years. Do great things.

James D'Orazio



Lost in Thought Adams housemaster Jayme D'Orazio converses with Campus Aide David Moscma during school. **A Good Team Player** Adams secretary Lorene Shapiro discusses matters with housemaster Jayme D'Orazio.

"Adams is a good house to be in."

- Ashley Parsons

"Adams house is awesome and filled with great people!"

- Isabella Xible

"Mr. Parker's the man!"

- Dominique Pasquarosa

"Barry House is a very welcoming place and I know I can go there for help."

- Rachel Gore

Telephone Tag Barry housemaster Anthony Parker talks on the phone in his office on Main St. **Great Minds Think Alike** Just outside Barry secretary Karen Tobin talks on the phone as well.

Congratulations Class of 2009! You have successfully finished your first year of high school.

As you approach sophomore year, continue to live out the values of Newton North. One of our driving forces is the core value of self-respect. All individuals are expected to take responsibility for their actions and to conduct themselves with integrity and civility. No matter what path you choose here at North, this should never change.

In addition to your course work, I hope that you continue to be active participants in other areas of the Newton North community, especially community service. If you haven't yet found your niche here at North, I urge you to keep exploring the opportunities here and seek out new relationships.

Always protect your good name and reputation and think about how next year will be even better than this year.

Cheers,
Anthony Parker

09 Barry

Reading & Writing

Life's a Voyage

I was born in Detroit, Michigan; attended elementary school in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; and graduated from a high school bigger than Newton North in Trumbull, Connecticut. I had a million interests in high school, and it was reflected in my college search -- I actually applied to eight different colleges with seven different majors. I attended Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pennsylvania, and graduated in 1984 with majors in English and music as well as a minor in theatre. I briefly considered careers in law and even attended the Yale Divinity School for a short time, but I decided to move to the bright lights and big promises of New York City and experience urban living.

I quickly found a job working for an off-Broadway theatre as an administrator. After a year, however I was wooed away by Wall Street (and experienced some pretty severe culture shock in the bargain) where I worked at J.P. Morgan as a writer in the mortgage-backed securities division. In a few years, however, I grew restless, and the next thing I knew, a headhunter got me an interview with a major fashion house named Anne Klein II where I was hired as the assistant to the National Sales Manager. I was promoted and became the Southwest territorial sales manager with with a volume of over $11 million annually.

I loved working in the garment industry and living in Manhattan. Soon I met my partner, Michael, and life seemed just about perfect. Then one fateful day I received a letter of thanks from a woman who had attended a wardrobe seminar I gave when I was in Royal Oak, Michigan, at a store opening. The woman told me that she was a lawyer who had worked four years to become a partner at her firm to no avail. She attended my seminar, purchased over a thousand dollars' worth of clothing, and from then on bought our product exclusively. Within a year, she wrote, she was made partner at her firm, and when they extended her the offer, the senior partners told her that in the past year she "really *looked* like a partner." While she was deeply grateful for what I had done for her, I was horrified. I realized that in some unintended way, I was helping to enslave women by promoting the misguided ideal of female beauty. I felt terrible about what I was doing.

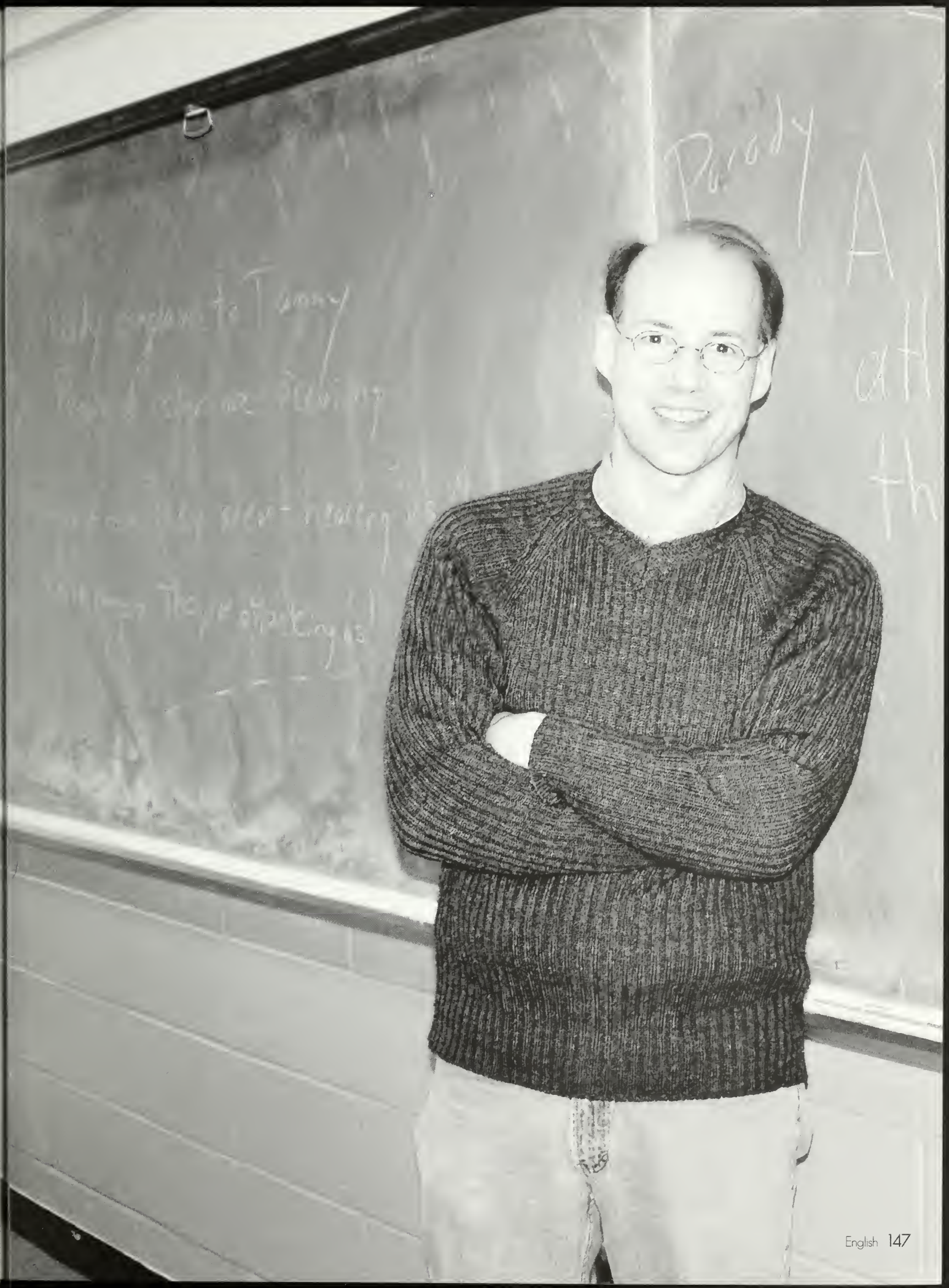
A change seemed in order. Michael and I soon moved to Boston for a year where he got his master's in education at Harvard, and then we relocated to Cape Cod where he worked as a high school English teacher and I worked as a "pilgrim" at Plimouth Plantation in Plymouth, Massachusetts. Working at Plimouth Plantation was a dream come true for me -- I had never been happier. I particularly enjoyed working with visiting school groups and began to think that perhaps I might be interested in working in a more "traditional" classroom. I decided to get my master's in education and teach high school English. I attended the Harvard Graduate School of Education and did my student teaching here at Newton North High School during the 1999-2000 school year. At the end of the year, I received a job offer from Newton North and have been teaching here ever since.

Besides teaching, I'm the faculty advisor for the Gay Straight Alliance. I've also served as faculty advisor for the step squad (Alpha Pi Delta) and the Human Rights Board. I've also directed several plays here, including *Our Town*, *My Fair Lady*, and *Pippin*.

I enjoy traveling, working outdoors, and making quilts. I'm a huge fan of Shakespeare, Jane Austen, and Charles Dickens. This September, Michael and I will celebrate our 15th anniversary. We were married on June 19, 2004, on Cape Cod with the ocean as our background. Michael and I are the proud "parents" of Jasper, our nine-year-old golden retriever/husky mix. We've bought a house in New York, and at the end of this year I'll be leaving to take a new job there.

Robb Fessler

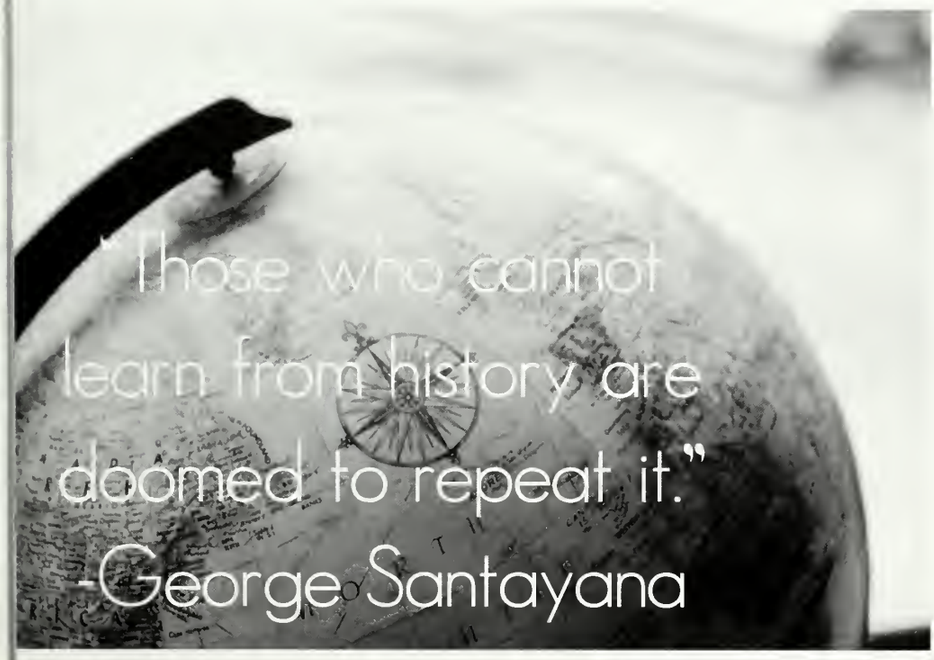
Putting in Extra Hours Freshman Jesse Kaplan works on his English homework after school. **To Read or Not to Read** Senior Gal Tziperman Lotan does her homework reading *Hamlet* over February vacation. The English curriculum required students to read a Shakespeare play every year except junior year. **Listen Up!** Juniors Rebecca O'Neill, Ben Brown, and Ken Zhao listen to Mr. Lallas during their B-Block English class. **Team Reading** Sophomore Jake Backer looks on with juniors Martha Adams-Cooper and Melanie Augustyn in the back hallways during their free time. **Natural Environment** English teacher Robb Fessler poses in front of a chalkboard in his classroom.



BLAST from the PAST

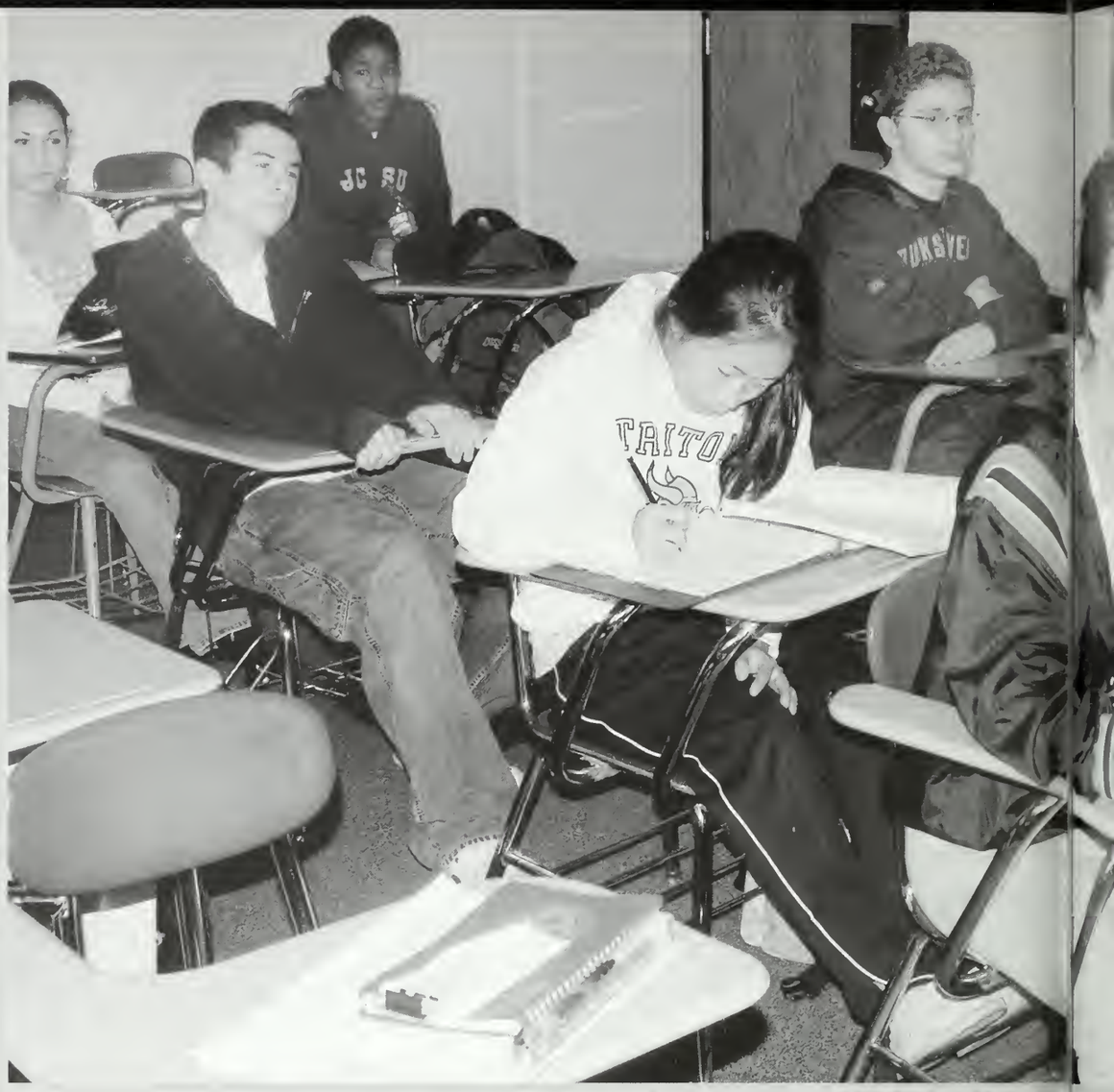
What will people think of our generation in a hundred years? Will they be pleased with our progress or disappointed with our delay? American philosopher George Santayana said "those who cannot learn from history are doomed to repeat it." So, perhaps, all we can do is study history and hope for the best. Luckily, Newton North's History and Social Sciences Department is extraordinarily equipped to aid us in this endeavor. Through area-specific senior electives such as the East Asia class and the Africa and the New World class, they went beyond traditional subjects and allowed students to choose courses that more closely matched their interests. Other electives explored the various aspects of social sciences such as psychology, ethics, law, and economics. Then, there were the activities such as Close Up and museum internships which incorporated this education into real-life scenarios. With so many choices, Santayana had no reason to fear.

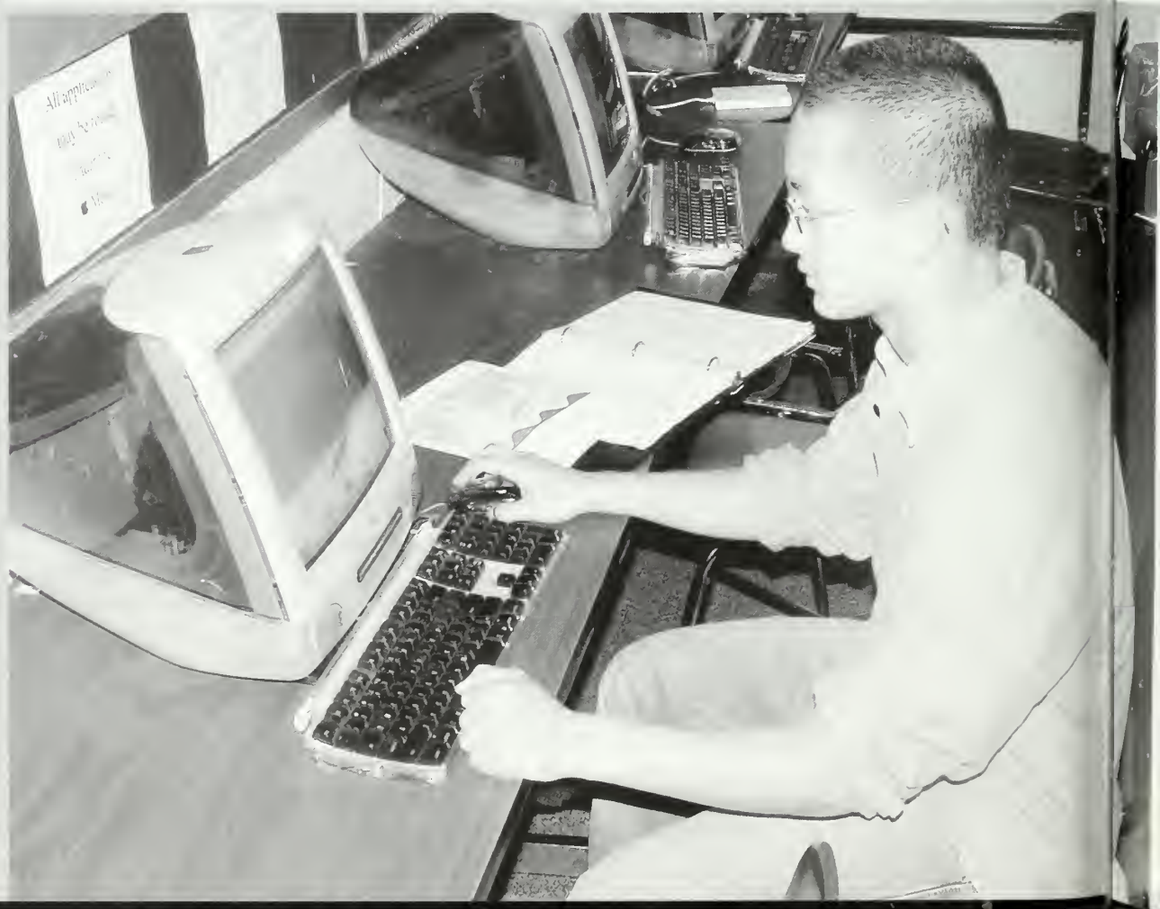
History Department Goes Beyond Traditional Subject Matters

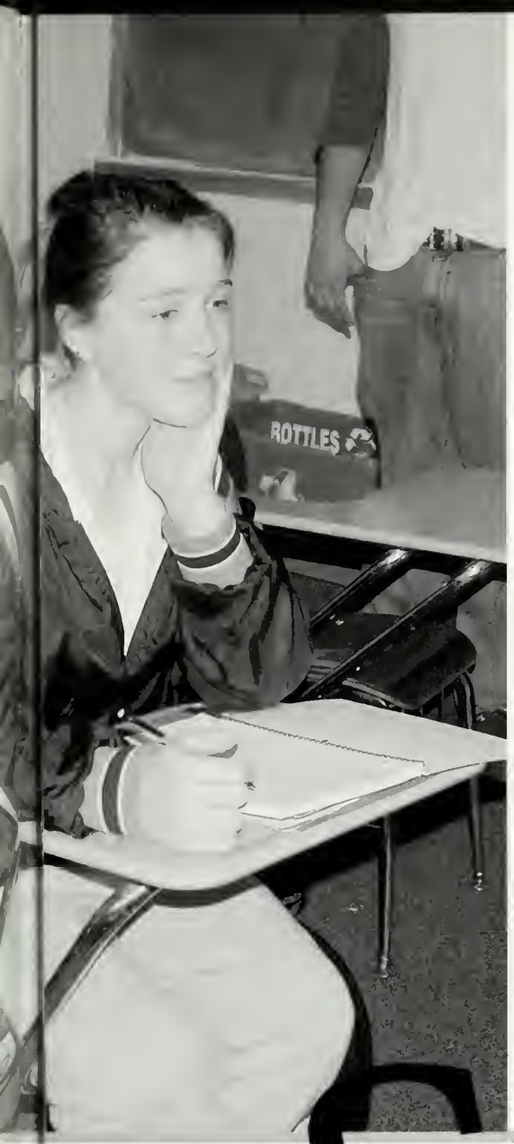


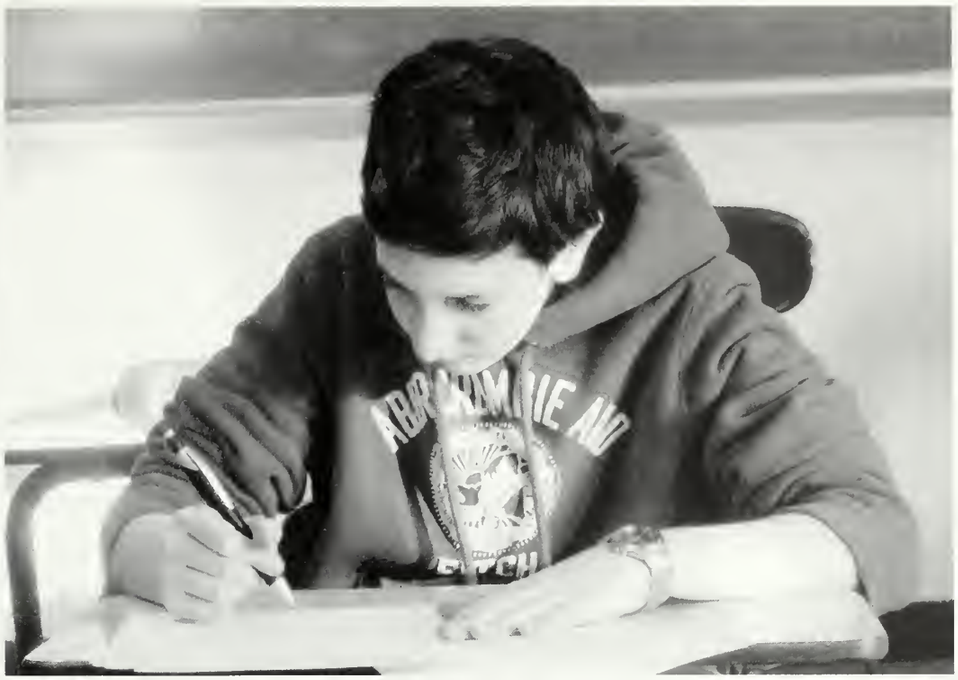
Talk Shop Senior Timeus Cheung talks to AP Psychology teacher Joel Greifinger after class. Greifinger elaborated on concepts they had discussed during class. **Searching the Desktop** Senior Dave Daniels reads a historical document in his European history class. History teachers often used primary source to illustrate a point and provide insight into a specific time period. **Getting a Pointer** Seniors John Schindler and Steven Lombardo ponder a timeline during their history class. This timeline has adorned the walls of this history classroom for many years, covered with detailed pictures and posters. **Where in the World?** Senior Anna Cohen studies a map of Europe in her history class. Geography played an important role in the class's study of European history. **Compass Rose** History students use many tools, including globes, to study their subject.

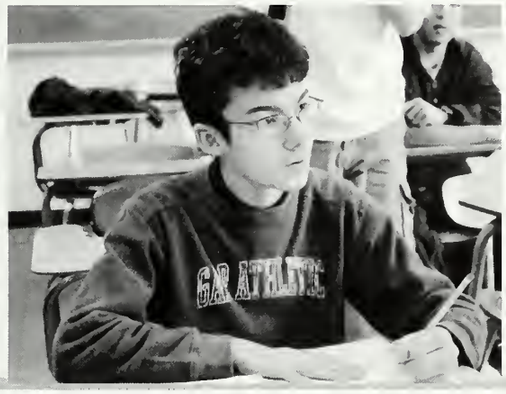
Pay Attention! Senior Jesse Greedy-Powers, Eric Wassberg, Emma Silverman, John Castaneda and Kerri May learn about conic sections in their D-Block math class. Dennis Klem, their teacher, taught them ways to find the shapes of conic masses. **Working Overtime** Freshman Jesse Kaplan works on math after school. Putting in additional time after classes allowed him to finish work from his last block. **Receiving Instructions** Sophomore Aleksey Generozov listens to his teacher's directions before handing in his work. **Going Over Homework** In his D-Block 519 Class, math teacher Dennis Klem reviews homework from the previous night. Senior Margalit Tepper listened attentively. **High-Tech** Sophomore Chao He uses the computer lab to finish his math homework after school. The computer lab proved a valuable resource especially for math classes both during school and afterwards.











Symbolic

Mathematics has been studied far millenia. Canceived at the down af human civilizatian and trade, it was mare tharaughly developed during the classical periad by the ancient Greeks and Ramans. Despite its early histary, math is still an the cutting edge af technalagy and inventian.

Because af this, many math classes here at Narth required the use af advanced technalagies such as camputers and graphing calculatars. Graphing calculatars in particular became particularly prevalent due ta their aid in creating visual representatians af camplicated equatians. Thaugh the manuals are nearly as heavy as the calculatars are--which is ta say, very--ance yau have learned haw ta use these resaurces, they can be an invaluable tool.

Many students, hawever, learned that their calculatars pravide anather much-appreciated service: they cauld hald arcade-like games. Traded fram ane student ta anather via cable, these games ranged in type and camplexity. These features alsa praved a distractian ta students during classes, as many teachers learned ta their dismay.

Nevertheless, advanced technalagy such as these is the future af the mathematical world. Mathematicians are in demand in this high-tech warld in which gadgets became increasingly mare camplex. By using and becaming camfortable with technalagy naw, Narth students will be better equipped ta handle it in the future. This early intraductian ta mare advanced media is ane af the distinguishing features af an educatian at Narth and ane that will serve us well thraughaut aur lives.

Drips, Drip, Drop Junior Erin Hazeltine and sophomore Zach Narva work together on a chemistry lab. With the change in the science curriculum, most juniors and seniors took chemistry for the first time time this year. **Hard at Work** Juniors Jatie Miner and Sara Faley go over a worksheet during their B-Block Biology class. **Feeling the Burn** Sophomores Konstantin Dimov and Ben Nathan prepare a bunsen burner for a lab in Ms. Osipenka's Honors Chemistry class. Mastering the use of Bunsen burners was a necessary skill for many labs. **Exact Measurements** Sophomores Julie Salvucci and Jamie Rosenberg carefully measure solutions ta use in a chemistry lab. A slight error in measurements could aften skew results later in the lab. **Get a Closer View** As junior Kipaya Kapigo squints his eyes, he uses a medicine dropper ta caarefully put a drap of solution inta the test tube in Ms. Purdy's F-Block chemistry class.

Scientific Analysis

This year the science department underwent a dramatic change in curriculum. By switching the years students would typically take biology and chemistry, the members of the science department hoped to use past knowledge more effectively so students are better able to understand more complex material. If students learn chemistry before biology they can apply much of what they learned the previous year to their current studies and also gain a better understanding of biochemistry. The result of this switch was that nearly half of the school took chemistry this year as the majorities of both the sophomore and junior classes signed up for this course. To accomodate the increase in students, several teachers who had previously taught biology switched to teaching chemistry for the year. "I think that the curriculum change is fine because no matter what year you take chemistry you will still have to demonstrate the same amount of academic excellence," said junior Nicole Censullo.

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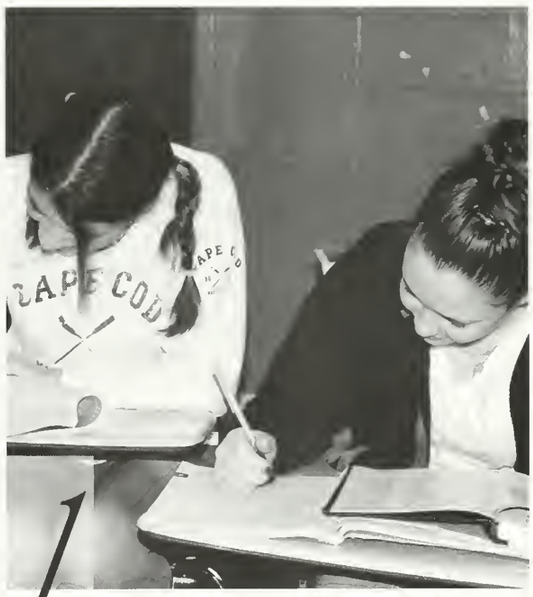


International

The Foreign Language Department and teachers found creative methods and unique opportunities to enhance foreign language classes and curricula. They strove to discover the perfect combination of basic grammar, mechanics, and activities that emphasized the originality of other cultures; this task could be challenging but the results were always worth the effort. Their innovative teaching methods ultimately resulted in students' not only learning a new language, but also a new culture. Spanish classes listen to songs like "¡Ay Carmelina!" "Bonita" and "Ojalá Que Llueva Café." The students also read the short novel *Sonar un Crimen* and created their own Spanish soap operas. Italian students may read stories such as *L'Estate* and *La Strada Chen Non Andava in Nessun Posto* and have an Italian-styled class lunch in the International Cafe. In French classes, students enjoyed movies including *La Boum* and *La Vie en Rose*. They also baked French desserts such as bouches de noel and created their own French news broadcasts. For the more adventurous foreign language student there were trips to other countries that lasted up to two weeks and exchange programs that lasted up to a month. Students spent their time visiting local historical sites or museums, sampling delicious new foods, and interacting with a culture different from their own. When students from other countries came here they were welcomed into our classrooms and asked questions about their daily routine, their school, what they do for fun, and the biggest cultural differences they noticed during their stay. At the end of the year students left their foreign language classes with wonderful memories of interesting in-class experiences, fun group projects, and new friendships from around the world.

Habla Español Senior Jayme Daniels fills in a review work sheet during Mr. Zilles's Spanish 5 class. **Le Français, s'il vous plaît** During a French class with Ms. Engborg, sophomore Scott Ellis takes notes. **Multilingual** Junior Ann Brodie and sophomore Molly Ezzel talk in the hallways after school. Ann was in her sixth year of French and Molly was in her first year of French. **Che Bella** The beautiful San Franciscan Church in the Italian town of Assisi overlooks the countryside. **Round and Round** Tourists pass a carousel in Paris, France. **Ancient Language** During her free junior Lindsey Orlov reads her Latin assignment. **Juntos** In Ms. Cremin's F-Block Spanish class, sophomores Laura Holdway and Lydia Ross work on problems in their Spanish textbooks.

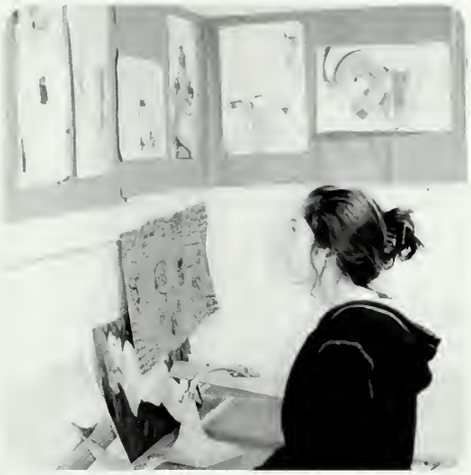
Artistic Endeavors

What does it take to be an artist? A natural talent? A special brush? No, artists just need to be dedicated to their work. Newton North provided classes for artists of any level and ability. They had a chance to try new techniques and find a medium that works best for them. Spanning a broad range from ceramics to photography to watercolors, students had the opportunities to express themselves in numerous ways. They created portfolios and displayed their work in the hallways around school.

As seniors, students in Honors Art Major 4 had the opportunity to design and paint a mural on the walls of the school, creating a lasting impression. We often see these murals as we're walking down the halls, brightening the otherwise dull interior. Last year, the seniors began painting their murals on canvas instead, so that the murals could be moved when a new school was built. This was the first time since the tradition was started that they were not painted on the bricks themselves.

Despite budget cuts and the combining of the Art and Music Departments under one head, teachers still found new ways to inspire their students and encourage their creative tendencies. Students who took art or photo classes during their time at North found it a rewarding experience. Likewise, North was favored with many talented artists, consistently winning multiple awards in a variety of categaries. While those who wan awards were asked to display their work publicly, all students displayed their work during Art Mornings. Art Mornings are a time for relatives and friends to come and see what students are creating. Student chaose some select pieces that they feel are their best works, and hang them up around the art rooms. Each year, it seems more and mare people come to the Art Mornings, eager to see the products of so much hard work and dedication.

Working in the Dark The Photo Lab is used by photography students to develop their pictures throughout the year. Many students spent long hours carefully developing their exposures to make the biggest artistic impact. **Inspired** Staring at her fellow classmates' work, senior Jessie Alpert takes inspiration for her own piece after school. Art was displayed on the walls of the art room throughout the year to show what projects different classes had done. **Apollo** A series of aliens performs dance moves on the fourth floor of the light green stairway. Colorful murals such as this gave North a distinct personality long after the artist had graduated. **Lady in Polka Dots** This mural by Kara Drew Bloomingdale has decorated the thrid floor hallway for almost a decade since its creation in 1997. Murals varied widely in theme and idea, emphasizing the diversity of the school. **A Closer Look** Sophomore Will Heidlage looks at his pictures in the photo lab. Before using the darkroom, students had to choose which pictures they wanted to develop. **What a Mess!** Senior Leah Weisman works to organize the mess in her still-life drawing. Many students worked after school to finish projects they could not complete during the scheduled class time. **Painting a Masterpiece** Working in the art room after school, junior Dan Swartz puts the finishing touches on his project. **A Fine Display** Junior Rachel Kaufmann hangs her prints from Photo on a bulletin board on the third floor. Photography students routinely displayed their work on these boards near the lab. **Hard Day's Work** Senior Leah Weisman uses her free time after school to finish an art project in October. The art rooms were usually open and available after school for students who needed extra time to finish their work. **A New Addition** This mural hangs on the fourth floor and was done in 2005 by Carolina Literally, the writing meant "My culture is where I am." **A Different Perspective** Junior Olivia Kelley gets ideas from art teacher Ms. Slattery about ways to improve her pencil drawing.



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Physical Education Classes Offer Variety

With so many options to choose from, students can always find a Physical Education class that appeals to them. Students with a more competitive nature can choose classes such as Team Sports or Water Games, while students who would prefer a more relaxed environment choose classes such as Wellness or Lifetime. Many students who are too busy to take Physical Education classes during the day take A.M. classes or sign up for Contract Gym, which is done outside of school. The wide variety of choices means that students always have the opportunity to try a new experience, such as rock climbing in Personal and Group Awareness or playing cricket in World Games. The possibilities are endless!

At Peace Junior Jennifer Dwyer meditates in her B-block wellness class with Ms. Perkins. **Ohm** Junior Ashley Mitchell practices deep breathing during her wellness class. **Keep Your Eyes on the Ball** Students watch the volleyball go over the net in Mr. Giusti's Lifetime class. **Playing Hard to Get** Junior Phillip Jose takes a shot despite a lot of defensive pressure, in his first semester gym class. **Keeping Score** The scoreboard looms over the athletic fields. **Best Seat in the House** Though the bleachers are empty for now, they will soon be filled with screaming fans as the sports season begins.

Modern business

In the Business Technology Education or Computers and Technology Departments., students learn basic computer skills such as Word Processing or PowerPoint that are immediately useful in and out of the classroom. Students can also learn how to use more advanced technology such as websites in the Website Development class or movies in the Interactive Multimedia class. For students planning a career in business or students merely interested in learning how best to handle their money, North offers such classes as Accounting, Business Mathematics, Marketing and Management, and International Business. These courses teach valuable concepts that students will continue to employ for the rest of their lives. Above all, these classes directly prepare students for the "real world" that awaits.

Business as Usual Students work on projects on new computers in Ellen Novinsky's E-Block Business class. The computers came halfway through the year and presented an upgrade from the old Macs that were in the room. 411 before **Kickin' Back** Business teacher Robert Kane takes a moment to sit back and observe his class at work. Much of the time spent in class was in individual work on projects **Brainstorming** Students work together to come up with innovative ideas for their projects in Mr. Kane's class **Steady Concentration** Junior Dennis Polychronopoulos practices typing in Ms. Novinsky's Word Processing class. Sophomore Daniel Razulis takes notes in his Entrepeneurship class. **Imparting Knowledge** Susan Ostrer teaches her Business Math class on February 16 **Noteworthy** Students in Ms. Ostrer's A-Block class compare notes on her lecture

Business and Computer Classes teach students "real life" skills

Hands on

Modern school systems are [illegible] criticized for inundating students with [illegible] that will not be useful [illegible]e. Such is not the case at Newton [illegible] courses in the Career and Technology Ed[illegible] ranging from Graphic Arts to Automotive Technology [illegible] more new disciplines to satisfy either future hobbies or careers. "The classes are cool because you get to actually do things instead of just sitting at a desk and learning about them," said junior Ann Brodie, who took Graphic Arts classes for two years. The ability to immediately apply information from class directly to life outside of school has always been appealing to students. The breadth of North's classes, particularly those in this department, is one of the school's biggest strengths.

Collaboration Sophomores Leslie Kim and James Cu[illegible] work together on a project during their Drafting Exploratory class. Students learned techniques and methods for designing many types of structures. **Monitoring the System** Junior Eudene Zeleny works at the computer in his Engineering 2 class with Mr. Rosenhahn. The students were designing and testing materials for bridges. **Hard at Work** Junior Peter Roby does work-study after school in the Graphic Arts department. **A Visual Eye** Sophomore Mike Spiro works on the computer during his Visual Arts and Communication Exploratory class. **Start the Engine** Seniors Steve Cerchione and Frank Mastroianni examine the engine of a car during their B-Block Automotive Mechanics class with Mr. Rousseau.

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LIFE *sciences*

Not just your grandmother's home ec. class, North's Family and Consumer Sciences Department offers classes for students interested in learning how to be healthy and successful in life. Students cook delicacies, then apply these skills to a working kitchen, the Tiger's Loft, to get some hands-on experience. Others courses allow students to design and create their own fashion lines, learning about everything from creating patterns to getting ahead in a fickle industry. Students can also learn about child development, then test these skills in the preschool and take notes based on their experiences. Overall, students in these courses learn by doing rather than studying and gain real life experience while learning first-hand how to deal with a variety of situations.

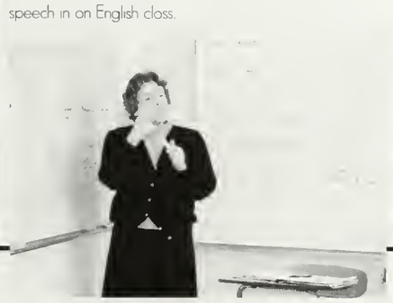
Cut and Paste Sophomore Liz Letvin gets instruction on cutting patterns from her teacher Rita Sheinker during her C-Block class. Students created orignial designs, then brought them to life using these techniques. **Mix it Up** Working in her culinary class senior Yasamin Azadzai mixes dough to make rolls **How Cute!** Freshman Nikita Patel hugs a preschooler at Plowshares during her Child Development class. Students worked with the children to learn more about the concepts they had discussed in class. **Easy Bake** Sophomore Sally Leung and senior Bryan Mok work in the Tiger's Loft to prepare food for lunch. Tiger's Loft provided an excellent opportunity for students to gain knowledge of the inner workings of a small restaurant. **Pin Up** Freshman Krenare Laxha pins her creation together for a Fashion and Design class

EDCO

Lounging About Students participated in small group activities during Deaf Culture Day in the Dance Studio to learn what it is like to be deaf or hard of hearing **Postal Service** Junior Jonathon Burton talks to his teacher between classes

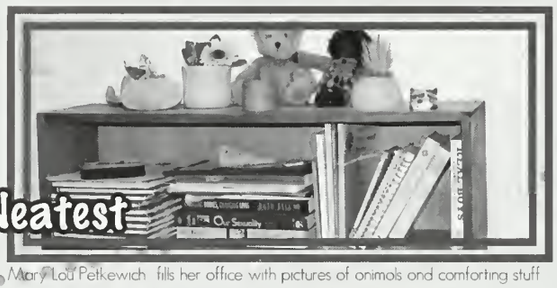
It is difficult for most people to imagine living in a world where they cannot communicate with most other people. Every aspect of life is affected particularly education. While deaf and hard of hearing students face many challenges, their goals and thoughts mirror those of other students. During Deaf Culture Day, the EDCO community prepares activities to help hearing students imagine what it is like to be deaf or hard of hearing at North. The EDCO program offers courses in sign language classes which introduce hearing students into the Deaf and Hard of Hearing culture. The willingness of the Newton North community to accept and appreciate differences has become our unique strength and pride.

Hands-on Experience EDCO teacher Arlene Fruchter signs to her students to exploin the different ports of speech in on English class.



Looking for o Sign Sophomore Cory Devoney watches while senior Kimebrly Dunn signs during her EDCO class Some classes were exclusively for EDCO students to allow for easier communicotion

Guidance Counselor Offices
Superlatives

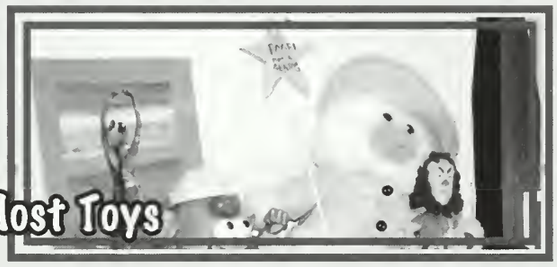


Neatest

Mary Lou Petkewich fills her office with pictures of animals and comforting stuff from her home as well as with candy and herbal tea

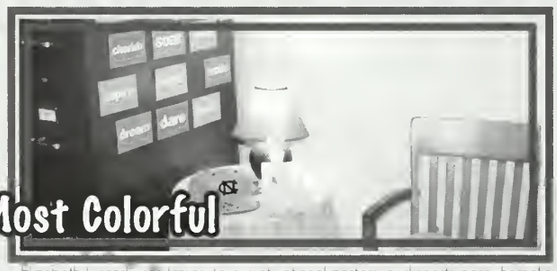
Most Welcoming

Beth Swedersta uses lamps rather than flourescent lights and provides comfortable tables and chairs for students to use.



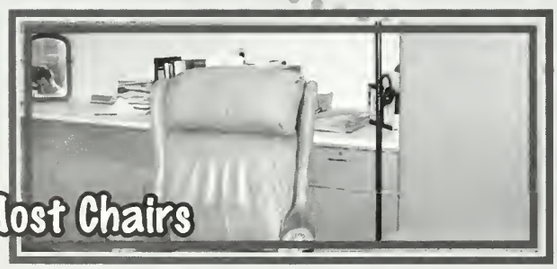
Most Toys

Larry Allen decorates his office with many pictures, toys, and stuffed animals to give it a "lived in" feel



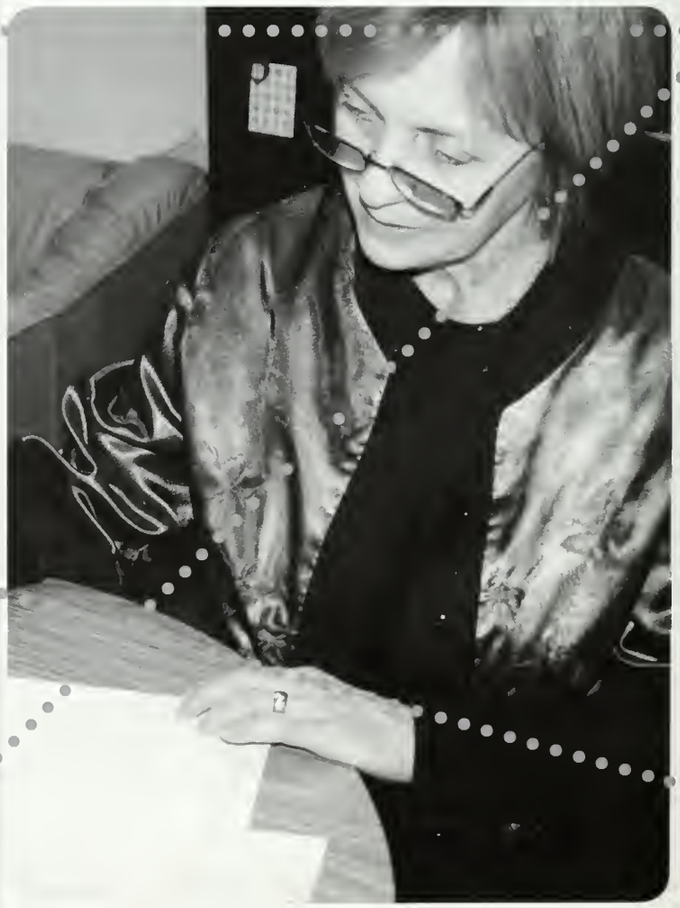
Most Colorful

Elizabeth Lusaral uses lamps, toys, motivational posters and sports paraphernalia to make her students feel welcome



Most Chairs

Matt Ford furnishes his office with lots of comfortable chairs and uses a fake window to make it appear larger.

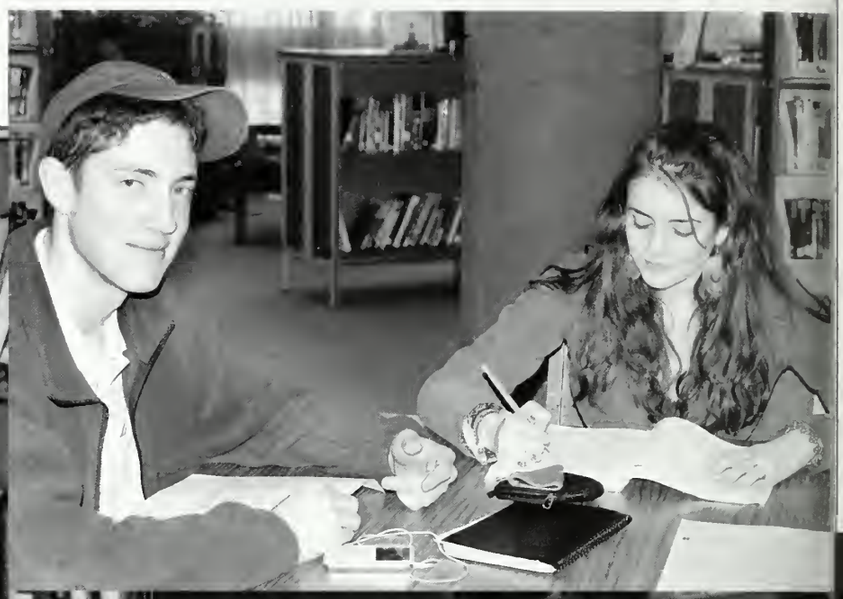


Guiding Light

High school can be a tumultuous time of change physically, mentally, and emotionally. Guidance counselors can help students get through this by providing support and offering counsel. From giving advice on college and other post-graduation plans to helping freshmen adjust to a new school, guidance counselors are the backbone of the school. "Guidance counselors are really helpful and their offices are really fun to go and relax in," said senior Zach Epstein. Their offices can be safe havens from the chaos that surrounds the daily life of a student. Each person develops a relationship with his or her counselor thanks to the annual seminars which provide time for counselors to give students pertinent information for the year. Counselors also organize schedules and deal with students' personal issues and conflicts. A guidance counselor's job is never done.

Paint and Click Guidance counselor Matt Ford works on his computer during the school day **Making a List and Checking it Twice** Guidance counselor Carol Kerrissey checks over a list in her office **Right at Home** Guidance counselor Elizabeth Lusardi relaxes at her desk and converses with a student **A Breath of Fresh Air** Guidance counselor Mary Lou Petkewich works while her fan blows, moderating the temperature in her office.

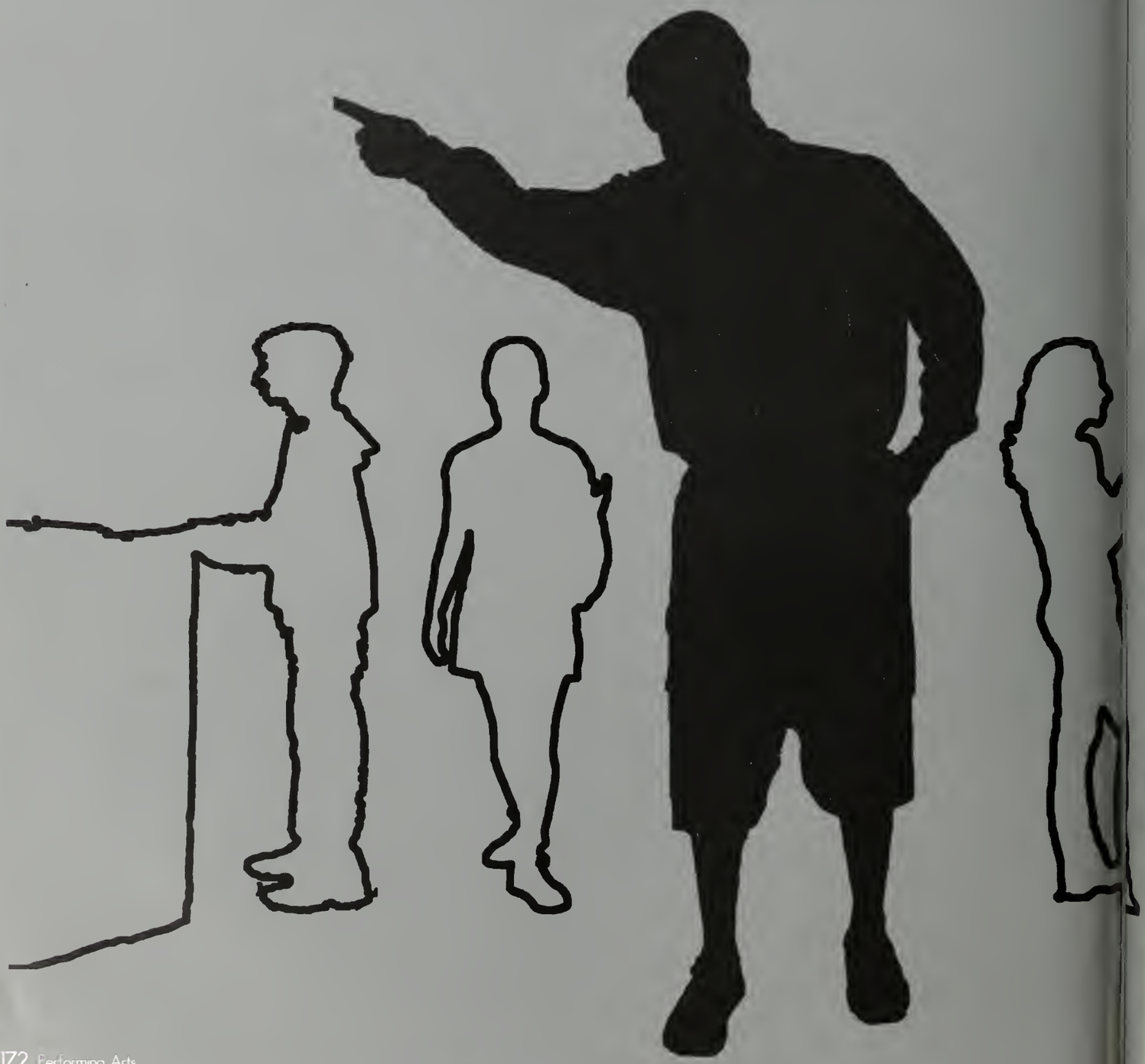
Means of Identification Junior Dary Kagan works on ids for her junior thesis in the library during her free block. **Study Group** Seniors Matt Yashinsky and Mag Sangiola work together on a project during B-Block. **Leave a Note** Junior Luciana Marzilli works on homework in the library while listening to her iPod.



Shhh!

The library bustles with activity as students filter in and out through the detectors, discussing bird imagery in Shakespeare or the maleculor structure of salt. Such is the scene any given block. The library is a place where people go to study, to finish homework, ar to do reseorch projects. It is an involuable resource to the school community and, especially with the closing af the Student Lounge, it has become a place for students to gather during their frees. This has caused significant problems with overcrowding and noise, but the library still remains a populor place to go. Perhaps the most impartant aspect af the library is the resources it provides for students to reseorch online and in print. The library has access to many online journals such as JSTOR and EBSCO, many of which can be used from home as well. In a large schaol, such as Newton North, it is difficult to find a uniting factor, but the library provides a comman destination and experience.

....there are people hard at work



Look at Me!

On Stage

Performing Arts

I am playing the violin in Winter Fest. I am Roxy Hart in *Chicago*. I am singing in Concert Choir. I am performing for children. I am in the spotlight. At Newton North there is an endless list of Performing Arts opportunities, everything from acting, dancing and singing to designing, building and sewing. Unlike most schools that have one or two plays a year, Theatre Ink puts on a stream of plays and musicals throughout the year that take you on a trip away from reality. It is a place for people to be themselves and express their own individual personalities. The eight music classes put on another three performances at North and add to the countless number of students taking advantage of these unique opportunities to perform on stage, to direct plays and musicals, and to work backstage.

The Crucible

"A classic of the American theatre - Arthur Miller's tense, ingeniously multi layered drama principle and paranoia."
"The place is Salem, Massachusetts, in 1692, an enclave if rigid piety huddled on the edge of a wilderness. Its inhabitants believe unquestionably in their own sanctity. But in Arthur Miller's edgy masterpiece, that very belief will have poisonous consequences when a vengeful teenager accuses a rival of witchcraft -- and then when those accusations multiply to consume the entire village..." First produced in 1953, at a time when America was convulsed by a new epidemic of witch-hunting, *The Crucible* brilliantly explores the threshold between individual guilt and mass hysteria, personal spite and collective evil. It is a play that is not only relentlessly suspenseful and vastly moving but that compels readers to fathom their hearts and consciences in ways that only the greatest theatre ever can." -- Penguin Books
"A drama of emotional power and impact" -- *New York Post*

Director's Notes
It was a beautiful time of the year. The leaves had turned spectacular shades of red orange, yellow and brown. Some of those leaves were falling. The air was crisp in the early morning and the wind was dancing through the branches of the trees.
The rustling of the leaves sounded like the clanging of the prisoners' shackles.
It was September 22, 1692 in Salem, Massachusetts.
"And God's icy wind will blow"

It was a terrible period in United States history, and it was a dark time of the year. The leaves were blood red, guilt orange, jealous yellow and vengeance brown. Most of the leaves had fallen. The noose swung as the crisp bitter wind blew the sins away of those who were accused. It was 1693 in Salem, Massachusetts and by that time 141 people were arrested. 19 were hanged and one was crushed to death.
"And God's icy wind will blow"

Accusations are made and horrible words are used. Lies are conjured. The smell of violence is in the air. The accused are yellow, brown, disabled, white, gay, straight, black and displaced. The accused are children, teens, elders, poor, rich, women and men. The accused speak in tongues, different languages. Their shapes are big and small, tall and short. The accused look differently, they act differently, and they speak differently.
"And God's icy wind will blow."

It is a beautiful time of the year. The leaves are turning spectacular shades of red orange, yellow and brown. Some of the leaves are falling. The air is crisp in the early morning. The wind is dancing through the branches of the trees. Beware, the rustling of the leaves could sound like an accusing voice from someone who doesn't understand the word, "difference." And that voice could be yours.

"And God's icy wind will blow."
They come first for the Communists,
and I didn't speak up because I wasn't a Communist.

Then they come for the Jews,
and I didn't speak up because I wasn't a Jew.

Then they come for the trade unionists,
and I didn't speak up because I wasn't a trade unionist.

Then they come for the Catholics,
and I didn't speak up because I was a Protestant.

Then they come for me,
and by that time no one was left to speak up.

A poem by Pastor Martin Niemoller (1892-1984)
This version is on the Boston (U.S.) Holocaust Memorial

Peace,
Inez E. Dover
Director, The Crucible

Ann Putnam	Esther Mabley	John Proctor	Bryan Bernfield
Tituba	Alysha Thomas	Abigail Williams	Ali Malins
Mary Warren	Melanie Augustyn	Reverend John Hale	Dan Catameris
Betty Parris	Samantha Avery	Elizabeth Proctor	Diana Raiselis
Susanna Walcot	Jennifer Dwyer	Reverend Parris	Jerry Dwyer
Ezekiel Cheever	Andrzej Weyman	Rebecca Nurse	Martha Adams-Cooper
Judge Hawthorne	Ryan Garvin	Thomas Putnam	Zach Pepper-Cunningham
Willard	Augustin Reyes	Francis Nurse	Gabe Feinberg
Mercy	Marissa Dungan	Judge Danforth	David Waldinger
Sarah Good	Rachel Bronstein	Giles Corey	Jacob Scribman

Top Juniors Bryan Bernfeld and Dan Catameris as John Proctor and Reverend John Hale get into an argument about witch hunting. **Middle** Sophomore Marissa Dungan and junior Melanie Augustyn hold freshman Samantha Avery back while she is being accused of being a witch. **Bottom** The cast and crew of *The Crucible*.

oon Over Buffalo

Top Senior Magdalen Sangiola yells at junior Lee Gerstenhaber because she can not hear anything. **Middle Left** Senior Michael Kates and senior Abigail Weisman put on a romantic scene. **Middle Right** Juniors Dan Lurie, Tamar Soran and senior Abigail Weisman catch senior Magdelen Sangiola as she faints. **Bottom** The cast and crew of *Moon Over Buffalo*

Moon Over Buffalo, one of several Broadway hits written by Ken Ludwig, is a sidesplitting force that will leave you rolling in the aisles. The audience gets an inside seat to the backstage life of the Hay family as they perform ***Cyrano de Bergerac*** and ***Private Lives*** in repertoire in Buffalo, New York. George and Charlotte Hay are presented with the chance of a lifetime as Frank Capra, a predominant movie director of the 50's, is on his way to Buffalo to observe them for his next big film. They now have to get their act together as they struggle to overcome many miscommunications that result in a disastrous yet hilarious climax in which nearly every character ends up on stage trying desperately to salvage the show.

Sitting in the audience during the nights of November 17, 18, and 19 we have never felt more proud. Our cast, crew, and production team each contributed their own dedication to this project. Each person brought their own passion and creativity to help mold *Moon Over Buffalo* into the incredible process and show that it was.

Every performance shared with the audience the hard work and love that had gone into the show during our intense eight weeks. We wouldn't trade our experience for anything in the world. We are extremely honored to have worked with everyone involved, and we are so grateful to have been given this opportunity. The laughter and fun shared during this time was a priceless adventure that reflected a truly fantastic and hysterical show.

-Dana Catrambone and Sarah Lampert, Directors

Cast:

Michael Kates.....George Hay
Abigail Weisman.....Charlotte Hay
Tamer Soran.....Paul Singer
Magdalen Sangiolo.....Rosalind Hay
Max Nussenbaum.....Howard
Lee Gerstenhaber.....Ethel
Daniel Lurie.....Richard Maynard
Holly Tarnower.....Eileen

the Art of Dining

Tony-nominee writer Tino Howe brings nine chorocters to life in this two-time OBIE oword-winning dork comedy. Set on the Jersey shore during the lote 1970s, Col ond Ellen ore the owners ond sole stoff ot The Golden Corousel, on elegont French restauront locoted on the first floor of the couple's townhouse. Col, the woiter ond moitre d', is preoccupied with poying bock the $70,000 loon for the restouront, while Ellen, the resident chef, is focused on predicting every dish that she cooks. Diners include Poul ond Honnah, o morried couple who flirt outlondishly over the dinner menu; Tony, who is celebroting her birthdoy with her friends Nesso ond Herrick; Elizobeth, o writer, ond Dovid, o publisher, who ore discussing o pending deol. Through sequences of intertwining vignettes, Col, Ellen, ond their customers ore onimoted with wild toles, emborrossing toosts, ond hidden secrets. *The Art of Dining* is o hilorious, possionote porody of the Americon dining experience.

The Art of Dining started for us when we first decided to apply to direct together in the beginning of our junior year. We found the play in the Newton Public Library, took it home, and read it — first Alicia, then Meng. It was then that we knew that *Dining* was everything we had been searching for. It was witty, humorous, and sophisticated. It was out-of-this-world bizarre. And because of what *Dining* offered us, we fell in love with the script. We fell in love with each of its nine strange characters until they became as familiar to us as our best friends.

We lived with *Dining* in ourselves for over one year, from the time we chose the play to opening night, and it has been a life-changing journey. The ride came to an end when we sat in the Little Theatre under the hot glow of the lights and saw Tina's beloved characters come to life. From the gluttonous Col to the picky, wacky Elizabeth, *Dining* presented our audience with a variety of real people from our modern society. It pushed back the drapes of the American dining experience and made us laugh with the utter ridiculousness of a married couple's interaction, the inanity of a diet, and the complete absurdity of certain behaviors.

Dining was a riot, in and out of rehearsal, and we love each and every member of our cast and production team. We can't give them enough thanks for what they did. And, of course, our biggest thanks to Adam Brown for being there each step of way. We were thrilled to have The Art of Dining be part of Theatre Ink's 2005-2006 season. Happy dining!

Cast

Nathan Wainwright.....Col
Allisan Egdahl.....Ellen
Jacob Schribman.....Paul Galt
Alice Howe.....Hannah Galt
Annabel Raby.....Elizabeth Barrow Galt
Rachel Stubblefield-Tave....Herrick Simmons
Brittney Johnson-White.....Nessa Vox
Lena Raff.....Tony Stassia
Elliot Gill.....David Osslow

Top Left Freshman Anabelle Raby reaches into her bag on her way to sit down. **Top Middle** Freshman Nathan Wainwright playing Col makes a reservation on the phone. **Top Right** The Cast of ***The Art of Dining*** **Bottom Right** Junior Allison Egdahl and freshman Nathan Wainwright test soup. **Bottom Left** Junior Jacob Schribman and Sophomore Alice Howe have dinner together.

Top Left Junior Jordan Urban holds a brush in her hand in the dressing room **Top Middle** Junior Jordan Urban as Angela attempts to seduce senior Justin McCanchie **Top Right** Senior Justin McCanchie opens a gift from his boss senior Aaron Maybury **Bottom Right** Senior Aaron Maybury and junior Martha Adams Cooper stand in the kitchen talking about their son **Bottom Left** The cast and crew of *Enter Laughing*

Cast List
Evan Paris.....Mr. Foreman
Justin McCanchie.....David Kalawitz
Josh Lareda.....Marvin
Marga Ford.....Miss B
Ryan Garvin.....Pike
Jesse Kaplan.....Don Baxter
Zachary Narva.....Dan Darwin
Jan Jaffee.....Marlowe
Jordan Urban.....Angela
Martha Adams-Cooper.....Mother
Aaron Maybury.....Father
Melanie Augustyn.....Wanda
Jeff Lebavici.....Roger
Sarah Sagan.....Waitress/Lawyer

Enter Laughing

Enter Laughing by Joseph Stein is a comedy about a young man named David working in a sewing machine repair shop, who decides to pursue a career as an actor. His carefree manner and charismatic ladies' man persona impair his ability to keep a healthy relationship with his girlfriend Wanda. As if being an actor isn't hard enough, David must also deal with his over-involved Jewish parents, who are convinced he has a promising future as a druggist, and an elderly boss who thinks David aspires to be the heir to his shop. Through David's relationships with his quirky parents, boss, and friends, the audience is given an insightful view into the hardships of life in the theatre and the message that nothing should stop you from following your dreams.

While sitting on the tire swing in third grade at Mason-Rice, we decided that by age 22 we should be living in a 15 floor mansion together. Caitlin would live in the east wing with her tall British boyfriend when she wasn't starring in the Broadway show *Gypsy*. Tori would live in the west wing with her scruffy "surfer boy" boyfriend, when she wasn't pursuing her pop star career. On that tire swing in the third grade our dream wasn't quite feasible, but as years passed and we got older, we to decided to reach for something more attainable. We wanted to use our passion for theatre together to accomplish something great. When the opportunity to direct a show came up we decided that this was our chance. After weeks of searching for a comedy we could relate to we stumbled upon the show *Enter Laughing*. Although it sounds clichéd we have grown tremendously over these the past few months. We feel extremely grateful to have had this experience, and we want to thank everyone for their tremendous help and dedication.

-Tori Gwin & Caitlin McGee

Our Town

Cast
Stage Manager ..Lindsay Orlov
Dr. Gibbs ..Serge Zhivatenko
Joe Crowell, Jr. ..Annabel Raby
Howie Newsome ..Reb Schertzer
Mrs. Gibbs ..Tasha Karsunsky
Mrs. Webb ..Becky Wright
George Gibbs ..George Barclay
Rebecca Gibbs ..Becca Daniels
Wally Webb ..Willie Perreault
Emily Webb ..Casey Knotts
Professor Willard ..Caitlin Medlar
Mr. Webb ..Issac Simon
Audience Member ..Caitlin McLaughlin
Audience Member ..Bing Wang
Audience Member ..Sarah Sanchez
Simon Stimson ..Raanan Sarid-Segal
Mrs. Soames ..Gail Terman
Constable Warren ..Danny Kessler
Si Crowell ..Lauren Mullkarkey
Sam Craig ..Jesse Caplan
Joe Stoddard ..Jackson Davidow
Townsperson ..Caitlin McLaughlin
Townsperson ..Caitlin Medlar
Townsperson ..Caroline Quinn
Townsperson ..Eva Saltus
Townsperson ..Sarah Sanchez
Townsperson ..Bing Wang

To the cast and crew

Goodbye. It's a word that I don't often think of with fondness. Something about goodbye scares me. Yet it's a daily part of my life. I say it to my husband over an absent kiss before I scurry off to work or a meeting. I say it to friends and long distance relatives every time I hang up the telephone like it's a reflex. I even say it to strangers I've never seen before as I stand in front of a cash register or drive by a toll booth. Once I challenged myself to count the number of times I say goodbye each day; after three hours, I'd said goodbye over fifty-seven times. I even stopped counting.

Since my husband accepted a teaching position in the graduate education program at Bard College in New York's beautiful Hudson Valley last spring, I've been preparing to say goodbye to Newton North High School, too. It's a goodbye that I am not looking forward to. After all, this has been my home for the past seven years -- an ever chaotic, ever challenging, ever dynamic madhouse of creative thought and human emotion. Almost every single day the word goodbye sits in the front of my mind. Each time I finish a unit on Thoreau or French Restoration theatre, I tell myself that I can pack up that file box and cart it off to our new home in Rhinebeck, New York. But the truth is that not one of my files has made its way out of my office. I am postponing the inevitable. The goodbye.

Perhaps because I have been meditating on the word goodbye, the title of Thornton Wilder's 1938 play *Our Town* almost instantly flew from my lips when Theatre Ink director Adam Brown asked me what play I wanted to direct. Wilder's calls to see -- and not just to look at -- the astounding beauty of the people and things we see every single day but somehow always take fror granted both inspires and moves me. It is a message that I hope you will better understand now that you've added the play to your memory.

Listening to Wilder's magical words for nearly two months has reminded me each day to seize life, but the lesson is emphemeral -- by the time I've driven home from rehearsal it has somehow escaped me. Perhaps I am too self-absorbed to drink in all that life has to offer me. Perhaps I do not want to reconcile myself to the fact that, like several of the characters in *Our Town*, I, too, will one day say goodbye to this beatiful home I call earth and to this miracle I call life. Or perhaps I am simply avoiding the last, painful goodbye that I know is coming in June.

I cannot express haw grateful I am to you -- the cast and crew of *Our Town* -- for believing in this project as ferverently as I do and for trusting my vision of the play. What great joy I will feel when I turn the production over to you on opening night! It is your play now. You own it. And no one can ever take it away from you. You have succeeded! Please know that I believe in each and every one of you and thank you for all you've given me. I am a rich man.

Goodbye

Robb Fessler
Our Town Director

Top The father of the bride played by Issac Simmon, reassures his skeptical daughter, played by Casey Knatts, that George, her fiance played by Gearge Barclay, will love and support her for the rest of their lives. **Middle** Dr. and Mrs. Gibbs, played by Serge Zhivatenka and Tasha Karsunsky, decide to let their son Gearge get married after high school. **Bottom** The cast of *Our Town*

Boom! Sophomore Jesse Appell attacks senior Ben Bramfield while playing an improv game. **Time To Celebrate** Senior Jan Jaffe Anechiarica does a dance before leading the group in his activity. **Yes!** Junior Lee Gerstenhaber gives senior Mary Lauren Hall a hi-five after a victory. **Let Me Fix That...** Junior Bryan Bernfeld makes sure that freshman Gobe Nichalas' tie is on right as part of their game.

Spontaneous Generation

Cast: Jan Jaffee-Anechiarica, Mary Lauran Hall, Holly Tarnower, Max Nussenbaum, Jesse Appell, Tamer Sarsen, Lee Gerstenhaber, Ben Bramfield, Bryan Bernfeld, Gabe Nichalas. Interns: Nathan Wainwright and Ariel Harrist

Spontaneous Generation is Newton North Theatre Ink's improvisational theatre troupe. Every year they perform a crazy, zany, off-the-wall, completely improvised show. Fun games and audience participation heighten the energy of the show that may be about anything the audience suggests. Expect a knee-slappin' good time!

"*Spontaneous Generation* is not just a hilariously funny improv show that goes up once a year for three nights at Newton North: it's a way of life. The friends you make through *Spon Gen* tunnel into a little corner of your heart and chill out there forever. One can learn more from an improv rehearsal than one can learn in a whole week of school. For example they never teach you about knights riding whales or leprechauns in history class--you've got to spend three hours a day in the Little Theatre doing three line scenes to learn that. Cool, Switch

-Jan Jaffee-Anechiarica
& Mary Lauran Hall"

CHIC

Cast
Velma Kelly....Caitlin McGee
Fred Casely....Charlie Mokriski
Roxie Hart....Alaine Norcross
Amos Hart....Michael Kates
Sergeant Fogarty....Aaron Maybury
Liz....Julie Mhlaba
Annie....Abby Weisman
June....Lauren Lietzke
Hunyak....Margo Ford
Mona....Samantha Mirrer
Mama Morton....Emily Gittes
Billy Flynn....Matt Phillipps
Mary Sunshine....Dan Lurie

"Go-to-Hell" Kitty....Melanie Augustyn
Court Clerk....Evan Paris
Martin Harrison....Dan Catomeris
Aaron....Craig Holland
Judge....Evan Hass
Jury....Zach Baer
Company....Melanie Augustyn
....Agatha Babbitt
....Rachel Bronstein
....Dana Cattombone
....Lisa DiBona
....Beth Fleming
....Maria Fulwiler
....Rachel Gore
....Jack Kane
....Sharon Kutas
....Jennifer Lavalle
....Lily Lewis-McNeil
....Sabrina Lunin
....Jessica Markiewicz
....Samantha Martin
....Elizabeth Mullen
....Zachary Nativa
....Diana Raiselis
....Blake Rosenbaum
....Lydia Ross
....Magdelen Sangiolo
....Sarah Schlegel
....Shana Simkin
....Lucas Simonis
....Dasha Stekolshchikova
....Paula Strayhorn
....Kortney Sumner
....Holly Tarnower
....Alysha Thomas
....Nathan Wainwright
....Ariel Yelen

And All That Jazz Senior Caitlin McGee stars as Velma Kelly in Theatre Ink's production of *Chicago*. To prepare for the role, McGee had to cut off ten inches of her hair.

AGO CHICAGO

Chicago, by Bob Fosse and Fred Ebb, tells the story of a young, ambitious woman named Roxie Hart who is put on trial after murdering her lover. Originally her husband takes the blame, but after realizing that the murdered man was Roxie's lover he turns on her. While in prison, Roxie meets the famous Velma Kelly a performer who murdered her sister and husband after catching them being unfaithful. Roxie hires the famous undefeated lawyer Billy Flynn to represent her in court. Through this, Roxie gets the fame she has always wanted as she fools the courtroom with her innocent appearance. After realizing that her fifteen minutes of fame are up, Roxie teams up with Velma to create the winning act that Roxie has always wanted to star in. With a series of memorable musical numbers, *Chicago* is an interesting and fun show.

I Don't Wanna Go To Jail! After shooting her lover Roxie Hart played by senior Aloine Norcross, complains to her husband, played by senior Mike Kotes, about going to jail. Although she ends up in jail she manages to get out by the end of the play.

Chicago, the musical

Watch as Roxie Hart and Velma Kelly sing and dance their way from murders to jail to stardom with the help of the their lawyer Billy Flynn! It is a musical about murder, greed, corruption, exploitation and treachery, all those things we hold near and dear to our hearts, and more. *Chicago* is told through song and dance that takes place in the 1920's. Loosely based on a true story of murders that did take place in Chicago, the first movie was called *Roxie Hart* and then Bob Fosse, John Kander and Fred Ebb took that story and made it *Chicago*, opened on Broadway in 1975. The show is told through song and dance with a 1920's style that has a Fosse twist. We hope you join us for what will prove to be an adventure, a challenge and, most of all, a fun experience for us all.

-Adam Brown, Producer

Steel Magnolias

The play that inspired the highly acclaimed movie, Robert Harling's *Steel Magnolias* is "the funniest play to ever make you cry." *Steel Magnolias* is a witty and bitingly sarcastic mix of drama and comedy. Watch as six southern women muse over their small town life and complex life issues in a local beauty salon. See their band grow stronger with the unexpected death of a loved one and watch as they choose laughter to remedy their grief. Filled with humor and heartbreak, these *Steel Magnolias* make us laugh and cry, as they are hilarious and marvelously lovable in good times and bad.

Working on *Steel Magnolias* was an incredible experience for us. We loved seeing our actors grow every day and had so much fun working on it. We picked *Steel* because of its charm and the passion that the characters bring into this heartfelt story. Directing *Steel Magnolias* has been our greatest accomplishment thus far and we have learned so much from the process. We know that our actors will go on to do great things from the talent and dedication they brought to this play. The past eight weeks have brought such a wonderful group of students together. *Steel* has been an unforgettable experience, and we thank all who have been a part of it.

-Garland Mosan and Caroline Rotenberg, Directors of *Steel Magnolias*

Time To Observe Juniors Esther Mobly and Ellie Benner watch as other cast members rehearse their lines. **Practice Makes Perfect** Senior Minnie Weisberger and sophomore Lena Raff practice their lines. **Well...** Senior Stephanie Redmond, who plays Annelle, rehearses for *Steel Magnolias* after school.

Cast

Shelby....Lena Raff M'Lynn....Jennifer Dwyer Clairee....Minnie Weisberger Ouiser....Sarah Lampert Annelle....Stephanie Redmond Frovy....Esther Mobly

The Fingerpaint Players, Theatre Ink's childrens' theatre troupe, presents their own version of *The Princess and the Pea*. This original production tours throughout Newton and performs at schools, libraries, and after-school programs for children.

Don't Worry Freshman Kirsten Holland hugs freshman Inbal Tziperman Lotan to comfort her. **Oh No!** Senior Charlie Mokrisk attacks freshman Inbal Tziperman Lotan causing her to scream for help.

The Fingerpaint Players Present
The Princess and the Pea

Shakespeare with North and South Presents

A Midsummer Night's Dream

A Midsummer Night's Dream is perhaps Shakespeare's most popular comedy and is still performed every year all over the world. It marks a return to the beginning of the North/South Shakespeare collaboration, which began in 1983 and has been going strong for 24 years.

Not only is *Midsummer* one of the shows we started with, but Shakespeare & Company's founding director Kevin Coleman is returning to Newton this year to work with us. As I write this, the show has not yet auditioned, but my hopes for it are that students and audience both will be amazed at how easy the language is to understand when it's performed well and that people, on and off stage, will be inspired by the power of the text. As Shakespeare and Company knows, "Shakespeare is the Olympics for actors." He demands a combination of physical, emotional, intellectual, and vocal commitment well beyond that of most modern plays or musicals. As guest director Kevin Coleman wrote in our very first program, "What better material, what better 'script' to put into the hands of adolescents than Shakespeare? The accuracy with which he reveals our thoughts, feelings, and human nature teaches who and what we are, and consequently what we may become. In the truest sense of the word, he educates."

-James Haneyman, Director

Cast:

Witch.....Alaine Norcross Rapunzel.....Melanie Augustyn Cinderella.....Julie Mhlaba Baker's Wife.....Abby Weisman Little Red.....Ariel Yelen
Jack's Mother.....Martha Adams-Cooper Cinderella's Stepmother.....Caitlin McGee Florinda.....Holly Tarnower Granny/Cinderella's Mother/Giant.....Lisa DiBona
The Baker.....Matt Phillipps Wolf/Narrator/Mysterious Man.....Jon Jaffee Jack.....Michael Kates Cinderella's Prince.....Aaron Maybury Rapeunzel's Prince.....Evan Paris
Steward.....Charlie Makriski Lucinda.....Dana Catrambone

Baker's Best Senior Abby Weisman and senior Matt Phillipps, the Baker and his wife, rehearse for *Into The Woods* after school. **Dress Up** Juniors Martha Adams-Cooper, Melanie Augustyn, and seniors Abby Weisman, Ariel Yelen, Matt Phillipps and Dana Catrambone get into their costumes for the play. **Hello!** Little Red, played by Ariel Yelen, pokes her head out from behind a tree

Into the Woods has been such an amazing process, and we would like to thank the cast, crew, orchestra, and team members who made this show not only an amazing production, but also an unforgettable experience. You are all so talented, energetic, and cooperative, and you should be extremely proud of all of your hard work! Directing this production has also been such a remarkable experience. We cannot begin to express our love and gratitude for each and every member of the *Woods* Team. I sort of hate to ask it, but do you have a basket?

ADVICE FOR THE FUTURE:

1. You may know what you need, but to get what you want, better see that you keep what you have.
2. When you're going to hide know how to get there, and how to get back, and eat first.
3. Best to take the moment present as a present for the moment.
4. Opportunity is not a lengthy visitor.
5. No one is alone.

- Zack Baer and Maria Fulwiler, Directors of *Into The Woods*

Someone has been messing with our fairy tales!

When a baker and his wife learn that their inability to bear a child is due to a curse cast by the witch next door, they embark on a quest to gather the special objects required to break the spell, swindling and stealing from Cinderella, Little Red Riding Hood, Rapunzel, and Jack. Through suffering and sacrifice, the baker and his wife's wishes, as well as those of the other fairy tale characters, are fulfilled, but the consequences of their actions return to haunt them with disastrous results. When an angry giant poses a threat to the community, all of the characters are forced to unite to overcome this great malevolent force. What begins as a lively, irrelevant fantasy becomes a moving lesson about community responsibility, the dangers of wishing, dealing with loss, and the stories we tell our children. *Into the Woods*, James Lapine and Stephen Sondheim's Tony Award-winning sinister, fractured fairy tale depicts life after "happily ever after."

Into the Woods

the Family Singers

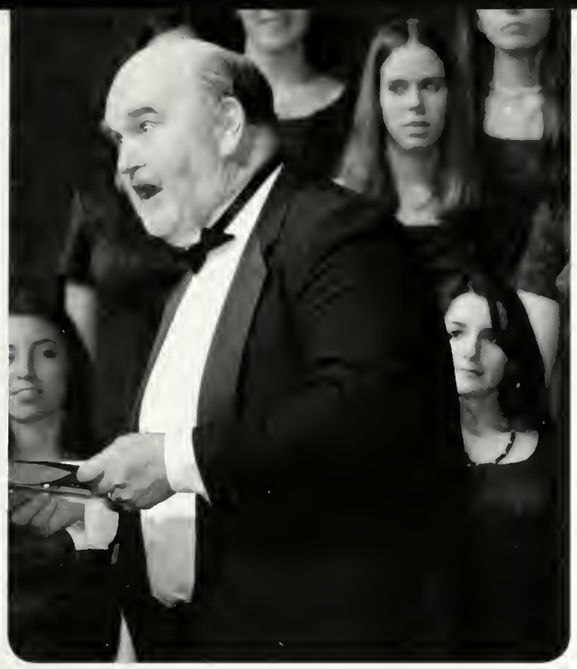
The Family Singers are a very talented group of performers. They sing classical pieces dating from the Renaissance up through the 20th century. They perform a capella and occasionally sing in other languages.

Members
Agatha Babbitt
Abigail Ballau
Lillian Bancraft
John Chilingerian
Anna Cohen
Lisa DiBana
Yanatan Datan
Richard Ellis
Jacob Fleming
Marga Ford
Maria Fulwiler
Eliot Gill
Alexandra Goldstein
Victoria Gwin
Erin Hannah
Evan Hass
Courtney Hendrick
Craig Holland
Erica Horowitz
Michael Huberman
Bristian Justice
John Kane
Jennifer Lavalle
Rebecca Liebendorfer
Carey Lowe
Meng Lu
Daniel Lurie
Amanda Lyne
Alexander MacKenzie
Maree Marcus
Jessica Markiewicz
Samantha Martin
Aaron Maybury
Caitlin McGee
Charles Makriski
Alaine Norcross
Christopher Ostrom
Evan Paris
Zachary Pepper-Cunningham
David Polgar
Khalel Pritchard
Dylan Sauerwald
Sarah Schlegel
Ethan Siegel
Shana Simkin
Arthur Su
Elena Swartz
Holly Tarnower
Gail Terman
Nicholas Van Niel
Gabriel Verzina
Abigail Weisman
Daniel Werb
Rachel Wilson
Nicholas Wilton
Ariel Yelen

Repeat After Me Juniors Brian Padillo, and Elena Swartz and senior Kayla Roby perform during the Jubilee concert. In African songs, calling and then repeating is common. **We Sing Together** The members of the Jubilee Singers. Jubilee performs during their own concert.

Concert Choir

Concert Choir is another intense singing group. Unlike Jubilee and Family, it is open to all grades. Not only do they perform at North, but also at exchange concerts with other schools in the Eastern United States.



Pause... Mr. Travers gives a brief introduction before beginning. Richard Travers is the director as well as the teacher of the class **One Big Family**. The "Family" members. They were performing during Harvestfest.

Jubilee Singers

Members
Martha Adams-Cooper
Zachary Baer
Benjamin Bramfield
Lindsey Carrasquilla
Alex Carvajal
Daniel Catameris
Danalin Cazeau
Lisa DiBana
Allisan Egdahl
Jacob Fleming
Marga Ford
Mia Friedman
Emily Gittes
Alexandra Goldstein
Sarah Gordon
Victoria Gwin
Evan Hass
Courtney Hendrick
Erica Horowitz
Jonathan Jaffee-Anechiarico
Bristian Justice
Zachary Kahane
Michael Kates
Hayley Kerstein
Alexander MacKenzie
Maree Marcus
Samantha Martin
Aaron Maybury
Caitlin McGee
Julia Mhlaba
LaShea Monroe
Alaine Norcross
Lily Olson
Brian Padilla
Evan Paris
Matthew Phillipps
Khalel Pritchard
Kayla Raby
Ayana Rodrigues
Eric Schindler
Shana Simkin
Tatsuka St. Fort
Daryana Stekolshchikova
David Sumberg
Kortney Sumner
Elena Swartz
Alysha Thomas
Nicholas Throop
Jordan Urban
Nicholas Van Niel
Kristine Walton
Abigail Weisman
Ariel Yelen

Jubilee is an intense honors level course that requires auditions. Great commitment is expected from each singer and the course requires lots of rehearsing before their concerts. Jubilee is unique and has its own distinctive characteristics. They perform African--American gospels most of the time, although they do vary in their choices. The effort that Jubilee singers have can be seen in their outstanding and energetic performances.

Lalalala During their Winterfest performance, the Concert Choir sing songs. Their songs included *The Turtle Dove* and *The Little Beggerman*.
We Sing The members of the Concert Choir

Members
Sara Axelrod
Natalie Bader
Julia Bandini
Lydia Bilaskirka-Conley
Rachel Branstein
Alex Ernest
Ryan Garvin
Ariel Handler
Sarah Harney
Ariel Harrist
Sophia Harnick
Leah Lebowitz
Elizabeth Letvin
Amanda Lewis
Lillian Lewis-McNeil
Lauren Lietzke
Katrina Lotti
Alison Mahoney
Maya Massing-Schaffer
David Mokriski
Elizabeth Mullen
Leah Netsky
Joanna Paola
Rachel Pattison
Claire Pywell
Diana Raiselis
Blake Rosenbaum
Lydia Ross
Joanna Shell
Maddie Solomon-Magraw
Emily Strange
Paula Strayhorn
Risa Waldoks

Symphonic Band

The Wind Trio During their class, sophomore Mitchell Harris, sophomore Patrick Alves and freshman Arin Hunter-Schlarholtz play the clarinet. **Instrumental Alignment** Freshman Jason Luttmer plays the baritone while sophomore John Holder, freshman Joseph Banks and sophomore Thomas Mariarty play the trumpet during practice.

Members

Patrick Alves
Joseph Banks
Harold Brank
Louis Brown
Sandra Chan
Douglas Cohen
Mitchell Harris
John Holder
Adam Hollenberg
Raymond Huang
Arin Hunter-Schlarholtz
Russell Kaplan
Jonathan Lee
Jason Luttmer
Thomas Mariarty
Sayyid Reid-Datson
Victoria Schubert
Mark Ward
Dave Yampolsky

As with most other departments, the music department offers a variety of instrumental classes to aspiring musicians. They include Symphonic band, String Ensemble, Orchestra, and Wind Ensemble. Although each class is different from the others, they all perform several times a year, including at Harvestfest, Winterfest, and Springfest, at Newton North as well as at other performances throughout the year. Symphonic Band is open to students in all grades who play wind and percussion instruments. The Wind Ensemble is another music class that is open to all

Time To Shine Junior Ramsey Meigs plays the clarinet during Harvestfest. **Many Talents Senior** Christopher Aparo performs on the bass clarinet alongside juniors Don Battat and Gabe Feinberg and senior Zach Epstein.

Wind Ensemble

Members

Maria Aissa de Figueredo
Zach Amittay
Christopher Aparo
Andrew Bader
Melly Barnett
Daniel Battat
Alissa Becker
Nathan Berla-Shulack
Marco Chu
Jessie Cochran
Jonathan Cole
Alison Denn
Edward Drislane
Ian Duncan-Brown
Zachary Epstein
Gabriel Feinberg
Rachel Felsen
Daniel Goldman
Matthew Gornstein
Noah Halpern
Erin Hannah
Chao He
Jonathan Herrmann
Tracy Isman
Erin Jones
Jonathan Kalow
Matthew Komisher-Koch
Lyuda Kovalchuke
Jill Kulla
Alexander Kurland
Whitney Leonard
Sarah Lisan
Diana Lu
Meghan McGrath
Ramsey Meigs
Ari Miller
Karen Mui
Avital Percher
Aviva Rosman
Franziska Rudorf
Johanna Rudorf
Cooper Scheuerell
Eric Schindler
Samuel Shia
Shin Young Song
Phillip Song
Daniel Swartz
Gail Terman
Daniel Waldinger
Eric Weil
Ken Zhao

String Ensemble

Members
Janathan Cale
David Goldenberg
William Ha
Daniel Jung
Daniel Waldinger

Practice, Practice, Practice Senior Jonathon Cole practices clarinet during class **Intense Focus** Senior Daniel Jung plays the violin in preparation for his next performance

students who play wind instruments. Both the Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble are conducted by department chair Thomas Leonard. Orchestra, another class that students can take is open to anyone who can play instruments belonging to the string, wind and percussion families. Students in Orchestra who play string instruments are also welcome to join the String Ensemble. Adam Grassman is the conductor of Orchestra and String Ensemble.

Time To Concentrate Violinists sophomore Stephanie Reikine junior David Goldenberg and freshmen Elois Kuh and Chloe Kuh perform *Overture to Barber of Seville* **String Melody** Junior Annie Tsao plays the cello during Winterfest at Newton North

Members
Kiki Archer-Craytan
James Baa
Hester Breen
Timeaus Cheung
Natasha Cochran
Kriti Dave
David Goldenberg
James Greeley
Laura Greenly
Sarah Harney
Hana Haver
William Ha
Daniel Jung
Chloe Kuh
Elias Kuh
Elizabeth Letvin
Gregory Lin
Raymond Mai
Molly McIntosh-Case
Chloe O'Connell
Stephanie Reikine
Jacelyn Rice
Jonathan Scarzelli
Simon Torracinta
Anne Tsao
Lucy Xu

Orchestra

the ins and outs of being a director

While Newton North students are just getting their start, Adam Brown, head of the Theatre Arts Programs, is an experienced actor, teacher and director. Since third grade, Mr. Brown has had an interest in theatre. At Hillcrest High School in Jamaica Queens, New York, he participated in a Theatre Careers program that was similar to a college major. They put on many shows and had classes in theatre each day. As a student at Binghamton University he continued acting but also had the opportunity to direct. After doing a lot of acting, Mr. Brown started to see visions of how he would have chosen to direct the plays he was in. That was when he developed his interest in directing. The first play he directed was *The Mousetrap* by Agatha Christie. Since Mr. Brown started acting at a young age, he has had an idea of what the students are going through. He loves to watch as they grow and develop their own style as actors and directors. "To help others go through that process is incredible," said Mr. Brown

Newton North seniors Meng Lu and Alicia Hurst have been given the opportunity to experiment while directing *The Art of Dining* by Tina Howe. They had to start planning during their junior year by choosing a cooperative partner, and an interesting play, and then writing a 40-page application testing their dedication to the show. Directing has been a goal for both of them "since freshman year," they said simultaneously. However, their interest in acting goes back to elementary school.

Picking the play is a crucial part of the entire process. Meng and Alicia went to the library and got many different scripts. They then narrowed their list down to nine intriguing plays and divided the reading between the two of them. After reading only five pages, Alicia immediately chose *The Art of Dining*.

According to Alicia, the audition process was "hard and scary." It is hard to match up actors with characters, especially when the directors only had a chance to see a small example of each person's acting ability. For example, a talented actor may not necessarily be the best fit for the character in question. Having to choose a cast was a challenge they would "never wish on someone," said Alicia.

Directing is a huge commitment, taking about 20 hours a week both in and out of school. However, "seeing the vision come true" makes all the hard work worthwhile, said Meng. Although it is extremely busy, hard and tiring, " I would never trade this experience," remarked Meng. While they are excellent directors, they are still learning and taking advantage of great advice from Mr. Brown.

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1. Directors of *Moon Over Buffalo* Dana Catrambone and Sarah Lampert stand together during the dress rehearsal. 2. The directors of *Into The Woods*, Maria Fulwiler and Zach Baer take a break from helping the cast out with their lines. 3. Caitlin McGee and Tori Gwin directed *Enter Laughing* together. 4. Adam Brown has had a multitude of directing and acting jobs but now he is the director of Newton North's Theatre Ink. 5. During the dress rehearsal for *Art of Dinning*, directors Meng Lu and Alicia Hurst made sure that everything, including the soup, was all set to go. 6. Directors Caroline Ratenberg and Garland Mason observe the rehearsal of *Steel Magnolias* from the side of the Little Theatre. 7. While not directing *Our Town*, Mr. Fessler still has to grade papers for his English classes.

Look at Me!

Getting Involved

Organizations

Promote a cause. Recruit members. Collect donations. Create new activities. Students express themselves through the myriad clubs and organizations that Newton North offers. From Speech Team to Dance Dance Revolution Club, students can join an organization that suits their interests and in which they will enjoy participating. At the beginning of October, the cafeteria transforms into a Club Day extravaganza, where students can get information and sign up for the clubs and organizations of their choice. Can't find a club you want to join? Start your own! Getting involved is the best way to meet new people and to make your mark on the Newton North community.

Alpha Pi Delta

Adviser: Meshia Williams
Officers: Joel Ortiz and Alysha Thomas

Where boys and girls can get together to show some of the steps they have learned over the year. We meet Tuesdays after school and Thursdays X-block, always in the cafeteria.

Save the (insert endangered animal here)! Dan Battat, Orin Martin, Judea Beatrice, Eric Gastfriend, Abby Lockshin, and Aliza Schwartz. **Monkeying around** Seniors Orin Marin and Eric Gastfriend relax during a club meeting.

Animal Rights Club

Adviser: Linda Fries
Officers: Judea Beatrice, Eric Gastfriend, Orin Martin

We like animals and believe that they should be treated well. Our goals are to spread awareness about animal cruelty and ways to prevent it. During meetings we plan events and have discussions, but also just hang out, chat, and eat. We meet Thursdays X-block in room 444. It's a cool room with a couch and fooseball table.

Asian Culture Club

Adviser: Charlene Beh
Officers: Anthony Lee, Kevin Yee, Chen Zheng, Henry Diep, Loren Chen , Bo Xu

Asian Culture Club is for all youth who wish to learn more about Asian American Cultures and identities. The mission of the Asian American Resource Workshop is to work for the employment of the Asian Pacific American community to achieve its full participation in U.S. society. The ACC strives to raise awareness of issues pertaining to the Asian American youth community and to promote connections among members through club activities and fund-raisers. It is also an open forum where youth can discuss issues of all types. Members contribute to the club through our biggest events: Asian Culture Night, Asian Culture Day, and Potluck.

Taste the rainbow Cindy He sells candy to support the Asian Culture Club. **Gather around** Melody Lun, Laren Chen, and Soungho Park (all) at a club meeting.

Abby Gorman

Junior Abby Gorman is currently involved in many different clubs. MVP, Tutors in Action, Yearbook, and Peer Mediation are only some of them. Abby says that she first became excited about joining MVP when she saw the MVP presentation, in Lasker Auditorium, in 2004. She then applied and found out she was accepted during the summer. Abby attended MVP training days and taught at F.A. Day Middle school. Abby says she finds MVP club rewarding because she feels like she is making a difference by educating kids coming into Newton North. Abby is the Poster Committee Leader.

Abby stresses that Tutors in Action is a "fabulous program." She says it is a great opportunity to work with kids and it is very rewarding. Abby joined the club her freshman year. She goes to F.A. Day Middle School after school to help kids with their homework and to help kids who have been absent to catch up on work.

Abby is also the Community and Business Editor of the Yearbook. She officially joined the yearbook staff sophomore year. She says it is hard work getting all of the ads, but it is also very exciting. Abby took the Yearbook Fundamentals class her sophomore year.

Peer Mediation is Abby's newest addition to her club list. She joined this year because she felt that she would be a better MVP leader if she had the knowledge of mediation. Abby also feels that mediation is a good high school and lifelong skill to carry into college and use throughout her life.

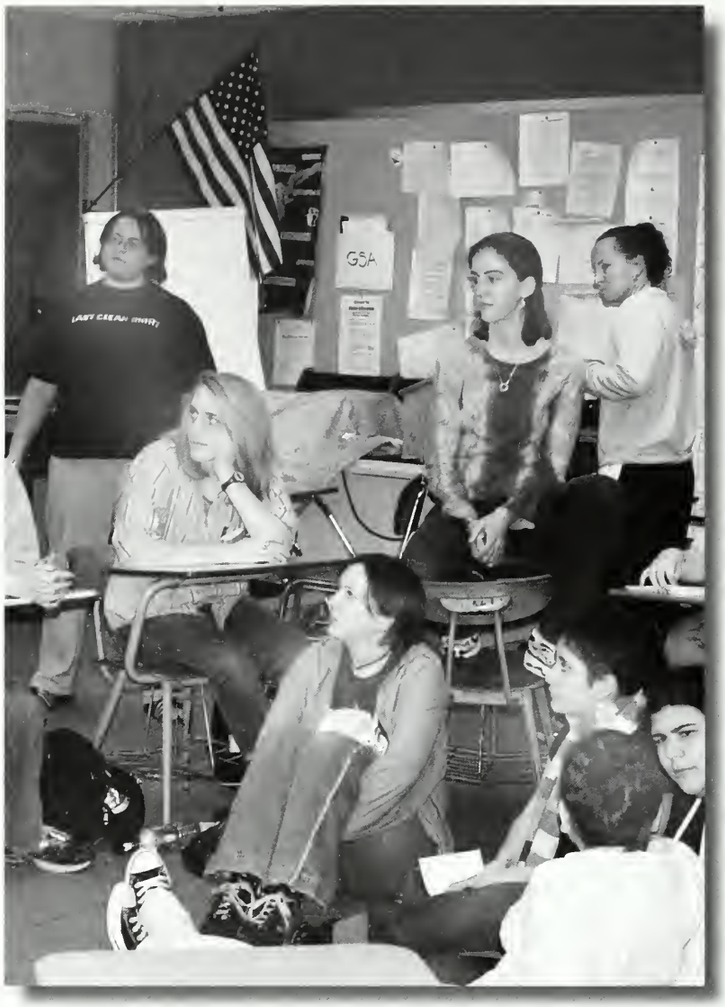
Community Interactions

Senior Career Center Aides Kerri Moy, Bo Xu, Shona Simpkin and Alison Nichols

Career Center Aides

Adviser: Irmhild Liang

A group of students (usually about 20) make a one-year commitment to help their peers through the college application process. They visit homerooms. They write announcements about deadlines and other information related to the college and career search. They also help out at College Nights, Junior Night, and College Admissions Seminar.



To BGLAD Day

To BGLAD Day is one school day in December where assemblies are held in the Film Lecture Hall to discuss sexual orientation awareness and tolerance. It is a helpful way to show students that the Gay Straight Alliance is for anyone of any sexual orientation to participate in and show support for their peers.

Cooking Club

Adviser: Ruthmary Delaney
Officers: Jackie Faneuil and Meg Burkly

Cooking Club welcomes students in all grades and of all cooking abilities. The club meets 2 to 3 times a month during X-block in the International Café. Through the course of the year we make everything from yummy cupcakes to veggie stir-fry. After preparing the food, we get to enjoy all our creations!

Time for cupcakes! Gwendolyn Compero, Shayne Emery, Jackie Faneuil, Meg Burkly, Samantha Tow, Michael Weo. **Mixing ingredients** Senior Jackie Faneuil stirs together cookie mix. **Splish Splash** Freshmen Gwendolyn Compero washes the dishes.

Cycling Club

Adviser: Neil Hubacker
Officers: Ramsey Meigs and Greg Bemis

"It never gets easier, you just go faster" (Greg Lemond). We cycle... that's about it. The club only started this year, and is still under development. Meetings are certain Thursday X-blocks in room 210. We talk about rides that we will take and other things of the sort. Meetings serve as a sort of rendezvous for the people who plan on attending the rides that we do almost every saturday. If you have a bike and want to join the cycling club, just e-mail me at ramseymeigs@hotmail.com. Cycling is an amazing way to have fun, get exercise, and see things all at once! Plus, it's just awesome.

Ramsey Meigs hangs outside of North before cycling practice.

Officers, seniors Sabrina Lunin and Ali Segal

Dance Club

Adviser: Margaret Howard
Officers: Sabrina Lunin and Ali Segal

Dance Club is for anyone who has never danced before but wants to try, or is a serious dancer or anything in between. We choreograph and teach/learn dances, using well-known songs. We mostly practice jazz, street jazz, and hip hop, but we are always up for suggestions. At a typical meeting, we start off with a few stretches and then move on to reviewing and learning more of whatever chance we are working on at the time. This is our third year of existence at Newton North, and we put together about 4 dances per year. We performed at our Sophomore Sleep Over two years ago but since then we have just practiced our dances during our club meetings.

Dodgeball Club

Adviser: Meisha Williams
Officer: Chistapher Cortes

We are Dodgeball Club. We meet in groups every week up in the S.O.A. We start by dividing all the students into two teams then organize all the balls in the center of the court. Then we count down 3-2-1 dodgeball. On dodgeball everyone runs as fast as they can to the balls and try to make the first outs. Our main purpose is to provide a fun environment after school where anyone can come and join, play, and just have a great time.

Coming Atcha! Dodgeball Club takes a few moments from their game-time to catch their breath.

Orin Martin

Senior Orin Martin is involved in two Newton North clubs: Animal Rights Club and Nicaragua Club. Orin is co-officer of the Animal Rights Club with Eric Gastfriend and Judea Beatrice. He has been involved with the club for three years. Orin became involved with Animal Rights Club after his friend, Eric, told him about the club sophomore year. He was interested because he is a vegetarian. Orin helps plan meetings and events such as fundraisers and rallies. Recently the club has protested KFC for their chicken supplier and it's harmful production methods for animals and humans. Orin hopes to spread awareness of animal abuse that is usually overshadowed in society by the markets.

Orin is also involved in the Nicaragua Club. He found out about the club through one of his friends and decided to join. He said that is seemed like it would be a rewarding experience. Orin went to Nicaragua with ten other club members in January. He says that it was a great experience for him to leave the sheltered area of Newton and for him to see the world in a different perspective.

Environmental Club

Advisers: Ann Dannenberg-Rosen
Officers: Sarah Wengert, Melanie Joubanian, Maddy Barry

We are a club devoted to protecting the environment. Our main responsibility is running the recycling program in the school. We also address other environment issues present in the school. Every year we participate in the Charles River Cleanup in the springtime which is a good way to take an active role in our community. We meet generally during Thursday X-blocks in room 202, and we discuss current issues and how we want to deal with them. Our goal is to promote environmental awareness while doing what we can do to help the environment. It is a cause that many people don't pay enough attention to but is worth the effort.

I'll get the popcorn Christine Davenport, Lyuda Kavalchuke, Dan Villana, Jasan Sullivan. **Hey There.** Junior Blagaje Djordjevic waves before a movie starts

Film Club

Adviser: Charlene Beh
Officers: Jason Sullivan, Christine Davenport, Dom Villano, Lyuda Kovalchuke

Some funny quotes from Film Clubers: "I like your nurse's uniform, guy" (Max Fischer). "They are O.R. scrubs" (Dr. Peter Flynn). "Oh, are they?" (Max Fischer). Meetings are Fridays after school.

Forte

Adviser: Richard Travers
Officers: Sarah Schlegel and Shana Simkin

Forte is Newton North's all-female a cappella group that performs at various events, including Acoustic Night, A Cappella Night, and at numerous performances throughout the community. Members practice on Mondays and Wednesdays, learning and rehearsing a variety of songs, from jazz to pop to folk. The club is advised by music teacher Richard Travers, who provides musical suggestions and moral support.

French Club

Adviser: Alieu Jobe
Officers: Maria Fulwiler and Lisa Dibona

French club meets twice a month during x-block in the International Cafe. French club is an organization for students who are interested in the culture of France and French-speaking nations. At our regular meetings we try to discover and experience a little bit of that culture ourselves. We make French food, watch French movies, listen to French music, and read French books. Apart from that, French club this year has also been making an effort to get involved with the French-American Community. On January 30, 2006, French club went on a field trip to The Teddy Bear Club, a bilingual French-American daycare and preschool in Newton. We performed skits of the famous French Story, Le Petit Prince. French Club plans on continuing their relationships with The Teddy Bear Club and hopes to do a baking project in the future. French club also hosts a French Departament Scrabble Tournament at the end of the year in late May or early June. All French students are encouraged to participate in a French Scrabble game as preparation for the final or just for fun! The team to win the most points by spelling the most French words correctly receives a prize.

Parlez-vous? Lisa DiBona, Maria Fulwiler, Lisa Lebovici, Emily Barter, Mr Jobe, Steph Reikine, Asya Bashin, Hal Brank

We are who we are/ We love who we love Jackson Davidow, Bella BiMabro, Mike Wei, Gail Terman, Molly McIntosh, Carly Helman, Kristin Freitas, Hester Breen, Erica Keefe, Ms. Baugher, Dave Haris, Mr Fessler, Chen Chen, Madi Abramowitz, Sarah Wengert, Caroline Cox-Orrell, Sakara Randkleu, Lindsay Orlov.

Gay Straight Alliance

Advisers: Darby Verre and Robb Fessler
President: Madeline Abromowitz
Vice Presidents: Caroline Cox-Orrell, Lindsay Orlov, and Sarah Wengert.

The G.S.A. is a place for kids of any sexual orientation to make friends and have group conversations about G.L.B.T.Q. issues. We also run the Trans, Bisexual, Gay and Lesbian Awareness Day (To BGLAD Day) in December and organize social events throughout the year. We watch movies, eat junk food, and enjoy each other's company. We are super-cool.

Guidance Aides

Adviser: Christine Potter
Officers: Szeman Lam, Ely Goldberg, Jackie Faneuil

The Guidance Aide program is a group of selected juniors and seniors who lead and plan activities to help freshmen acclimate to Newton North. Guidance Aides meet weekly with an assigned homeroom where they fill the role of leader, activity director and role model. They are also an integral part of step-up day and the S.O.S. program. In addition to these responsibilities, Guidance Aides meet monthly to plan future trainings, fundraising and membership. These meetings are run by student leaders.

Makin' some moola Senior Ely Goldberg, a Guidance Aide Leader, assists Beth Swederskas, the fundraising adviser in planning the next bake sale. The guidance aides made over $200 dollars in the slush sale alone.

Is your back pack too heavy? Andrea Novorro, Mrs. Dannenberg, Ben Lindsay, Steve Hazeltine, Sarah Blonks, Anne Triest Fronzi Rudarf Rochel Carey **Mine's okay!** Sarah Blanks gets ready for a snow-shoeing overnight trip.

Hiking Club

Advider: Ann Dannenberg
Officers: Franzi Rudorf, Rachel Corey, and Anne Triest

The Hiking ond Outing Club does opproximately seven outings o yeor, including hikes, snowshoe, conoe, ond overnight trips. Our purpose is to enjoy and leorn obout nature, learn mop reading skills, ond hove fun! We meet twice before every hike during X-blocks in room 202. Hiking club welcomes everyone ond no experience is necessory!

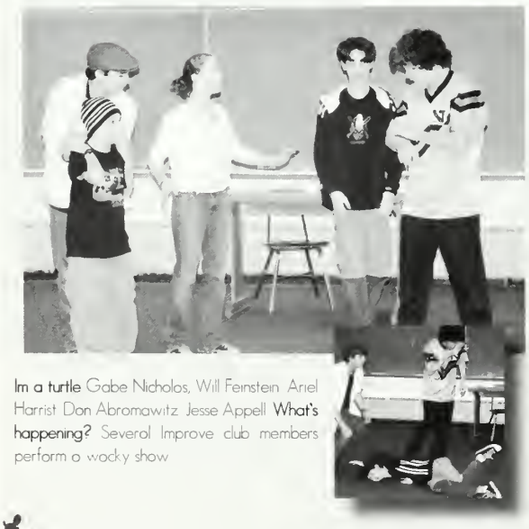
Human Rights Board

Adviser: Michele Leong and Adam Carpenter

The mission of the Humon Rights Boord is to demonstrote, through oction, o Core Volue of Newton North High School by creoting a climote of "respect for humon differences ond for the diversity of peoples." Its members come from the different culturol clubs, foculty, ond community ot lorge.

Let's talk about it... Vonesso Ganzales, Lizzie Krushnik, Balley McGuinness, Michael Hozeltine, Phoebe Gardener, Michele Leang, Jeanne White. **Question Session** Seniors Balley McGuinness and Lizzie Krushnik participate in the club discussion of the day.

Improv Club



Im a turtle Gabe Nicholos, Will Feinstein Ariel Harrist Don Abromowitz Jesse Appell **What's happening?** Several Improve club members perform o wocky show

Adviser: Adam Brawn
Officers: Jon Jaffee-Anechiarico, Mary Lauran Hall

Improv club is o zony, off-the-woll good time. We focus on learning ond procticing improvisotionol theatre through ploying unscripted gomes ond structures. Member Nick Wilton, ofter ploying o seo turtle on o deep seo voyoge, soid thot improv club gave him "the exposure [he] needed to come out of [his] shell". Freshmon Elios Menninger commented thot "oooh... dorn, improv club is wack," ond Dan Abromowitz collopses in uncontrollable fits of loughter every club. In January and Moy, club members perform in on improv jom, open show thot showcosed the skills ond fundomentols we learned throughout the yeor. Improv club is open to everybody, ond we meet oll X blocks in room 429.

Bo Xu

Senior Bo Xu joined many clubs at Newton North High School. He became involved in MVP to make friends and because he liked working with kids and setting an example through his actions. He joined the Asian Culture Club in order to make friends, and quickly rose to become an officer. He participated in student government during his junior year because he liked the idea of being the voice of the students and gaining the respect of his peers.

He was recommended as a Career Center Aide by the adviser, where he has learned about the college application process and has been able to help others along the way. He became a Guidance Aide to help younger kids adjust to school. He joined the Human Rights Board because he was interested in learning about the social problems that affect the community. His friends recommended the Leadership Class to him, which he then joined the following year.

International Club

Adviser: Deb Jose
Officers: Yessenya Tapia, Vanessa Gonzalez, Samreen Cheema, Stephanie Chou, Rebata Virnanurova

The International club is a place for people to learn about each other not only as students but as individuals who come from different backgrounds. This club normally meets twice a month on Thursday X-blocks in room 301. Our main event is the International Club Day where Main Street is invaded by students representing their nationalities.

I'm from ...Fill in the Blank... Stephanie Chou, Samreen Cheema, Rebata Vimanurova, Yessye Tapia, Vanessa Ganzalez, Ariel Carter **Dip it Good** Seniors Ariel Carter and Yessye Tapia open a bottle of soda and a bag of chips for their club meeting

Japanese Animation and Film Club

What's your favorite Animé? Zack Tandoff, Max Rezendes, James Shepira, Stephen Obornna, Ben Herman, Alexander Ernest, Isabella Grigoli, Lucas MacNab, Caitie Caudill, Emurii MacArthur

Adviser: Wendy Richardson
Officers: Emily MacArthur, Isabella Grigoli, Lucas McNab

The Japanese Animation and Film Club meets Tuesday and Thursday X-blocks in room 362 to watch and discuss Japanese animation and film. The club offers a laid back, friendly environment with the additional benefit of a free place to watch your favorite Japanese media.

Deaf Culture Day

Deaf Culture Day was celebrated on Wednesday, February 15, as deaf and hard of hearing students helped other students participate in small group activities to better understand differences. One senior who takes Sign Language class said she attended the activities which were held in the dance studio. She said that they divided into groups. In the groups the students answered questions from a powerpoint presentation. She says it was an informative way to learn about deaf history.

Jewish Culture Club

Adviser: Dennis Klem
Officers: Raphael Benjamin and Cara Weinstein

The Jewish Culture Club promotes Jewish Culture and traditions in a community setting. We hold most events at people's homes, but plan them at school or via e-mail. Our events include potluck Shabbat dinners, holiday parties, and the day of remembrance for the Holocaust. At a typical Shabbat dinner, we gather at somebody's house Friday evening, each bringing a dish to share. After eating the traditional Shabbat meal, we hang out and do whatever we feel like, as a community.

Potato Pancakes rock my socks Members of Jewish Culture Club congregate at a member's house for their meeting

Juggling Club

Adviser: Zach Snow
Officer: Raphael Benjamin

Juggling Club is a relaxed club where people get together to hang out and juggle. People of all skill levels are welcome. Our goal is to teach you how to juggle, whatever your skill level. Every Thursday, we get together in the wrestling room. Meetings start off with warming up. We then proceed to work on new tricks, and teach each other new tricks. We usually wrap up with a few rounds of juggling combat.

Swing it high Raphael Benjamin, Scott Ellis, Mike Kirby, Gabe Denni, Sam Anderson, John Sloan, Craig Holland, Greg Bemis. **Catch!** Senior Greg Bemis performs his juggling act for other club members.

Group Pic. Mock Trail members gather inside at one of their meets.

Mock Trails

Adviser: Jonathan Bassett
Officers: Jason Sullivan and Jake Chervinsky

Mock Trial is a highly competitive team that competes against approximately 119 schools in Massachusetts. Competition is based on a fictional court case written by the Mass Bar association. Teams argue one side of the case before a judge. The season consists of a statewide tournament that culminates with the State Championship held in Faneuil Hall in March.

Model UN

Advisers: Albert Cho and Brian Goeselt
Officers: Matthew Kamisher-Koch, Gabe Daly, Aviva Rasman, Alex Grass

Model United Nations meets every Monday night and provides students an opportunity to debate world issues from the stance of another country. Model UN attends conferences at Harvard, MIT, Brown, The University of Chicago, Georgetown and at the United Nations itself.

Group Pic. The model UN club in a weekly meeting

Proper gender relations MVP gathers in the film lecture hall to organize events with their hundreds of members.

MVP

Advisers: Nancy Beardall, Al Calderone, Albert Cho, Jamie Moore, Dan Simone
Officers: Josh Nathan, Will Nichols, Sarah Kaye, Kayla Roby, Dani Kirsztajn, Gabe Daly

MVP (Mentors in Violence Prevention) is a program of hundreds of Newton students who work to promote gender respect and to prevent sexual harassment and teen dating violence in our community. We educate 8th graders about the media and stereotyping, and the importance of being an active bystander and community leaders in issues of gender respect. We have expanded to teaching Sex. Ed. classes at North, and to holding a yearly MVP day. We are growing in size and influence every day. We are proud of what we have accomplished, who we are, and where we are going as an organization. Thank you so much to everyone who has been a part of MVP this past year, and to everyone who has taken the time to listen to and spread our message of gender respect.

Nicaragua Club

Adviser: Fiona Blyth

Nicaragua Aid Club raises money to help support schools in Newton's sister city San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua. We meet Monday X-blocks to discuss issues and fund raise. In February, there is the opportunity to travel to Nicaragua to do community work for two or three weeks. The goal of our club is to broaden internatianal understanding and to help school students who have less material wealth than we da. The group members that went to Nicaragua include seniors Abby Ryan, Michelle Coughlin, Judea Beatrice, Lizzie Krushnik, Orin Martin, Kirsten Smith, Katie Glerum, Addie Mullin, Caitria Leydon-Mahoney, and juniors Mike Brown and Jesse Simmons.

You want it teal with a brown trim? Members of the Nicaraguenses Club finished painting this community hospital in San Juan del Sur Nicaragua. It took the group two days, and four giant buckets to finish, but the end product looked great

Northern Lights

Adviser: David Bloom
Officers: Alaine Norcross and Samantha Martin

Northern Lights is a student run co-ed a capella group. It is tons of fun and a great way to make friends. We try to perform as much as possible and we accept many opportunities. The group has 13 members this year, most of them seniors, so we are looking forward to a great season to send them to college with great memories.

MVP Day

On Thursday, February 16, MVP dedicated a day to helping to prevent violence in relationships. They decorated T-shirts that they then hung on a clothesline on Main St. to promote awareness and put on performances all day. The performances include skits, talks, and discussions. They also had a bake sale to raise money for organizations that support their causes.

PAWS Mediation

Adviser: Jeanne White
Officers: Bailey McGuinness and Gabe Verzino

Two-day initial training in the fall. Open to all students grades 9-12. Two mediators assigned to a mediation. Sessions are confidential, non-judgemental and a win-win opportunity when conflicts seem to be insurmountable. Students with a problem solve their dispute with the help of PAWS mediators.

Welcome to North! Dennis Yip, Annie Tsao, Freddie Palmer, Lucy Xu, Stephanie Kaplan, Eva Cantor, Becca Wadness, Liz Shrier, Alison Denn, Alex Gurcits, Jillian Hubbard, Jake Karas, Ben Rame.

Peer Mentors

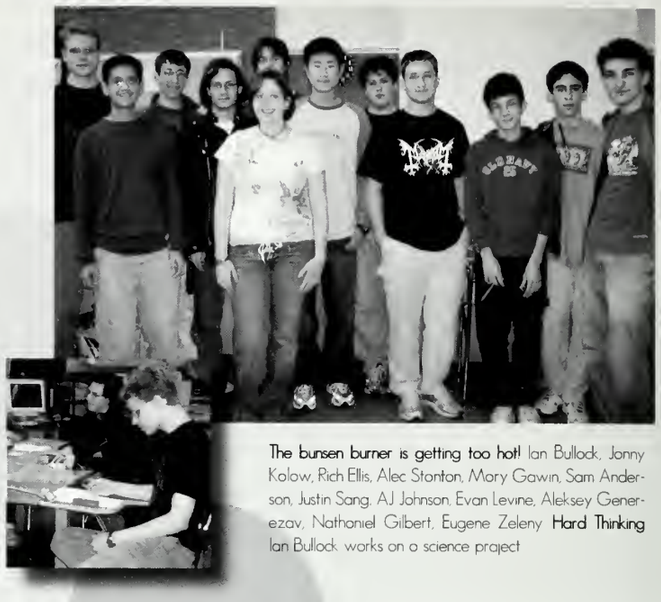
Adviser: Michele Kennedy
Officers: Zack Baer, Laura Brenner, Maggie Burjeno, Meg Burkly, Phoebe Gardner, Theresa Staulo.

Newton North is a very large and very busy school. With over 2,000 students enrolled it can be very easy to get lost in the chaos, especially for someone new to the school. The Peer Mentor Program was started in 1993 by guidance counselor Michele Kennedy to help transfer students become adjusted to life at North more quickly. In addition to working with transfer students, Peer Mentors also act as hosts to prospective Newton North students.

Science Team

Adviser: Barbara Gibson
Officers: Richard Ellis, Jonathan Kalow, Ian Bullock, Ken Zhao

Dedicated to continuing Newton North's outstanding reputation in Science competitions across the region, the Science Team meets every Wednesday afternoon in room 233. The Science Team studies, practices, and prepares for the New England Regional Science Olympiad, the Blue Lobster Bowl and the Massachusetts Science Bowl. Typical club meetings include practicing buzzing for the team Jeopardy-style bowl competitions or designing and building engineering projects for the state olympiad. The science team strives to win state competitions, to move onto nationals, to learn as much science as they can, and to generally have a great time together.



The bunsen burner is getting too hot! Ian Bullock, Jonny Kolow, Rich Ellis, Alec Stonton, Mary Gawin, Sam Anderson, Justin Sang, AJ Johnson, Evan Levine, Aleksey Generezov, Nathaniel Gilbert, Eugene Zeleny **Hard Thinking** Ian Bullock works on a science project

Dan Lurie

Dan Lurie is a Junior who is involved in an enormous amount of activities. He joined MVP his sophomore year because in middle school he noticed many kids could not stand up for each other. In MVP, Dan helped others become active bystanders. Dan is also a part of Northern Lights and sang a solo for "My Girl."

Dan is also involved in North's in-school politics. He was the freshmen class president in 2003 and was one of two student representatives this year to the Principal Search Advisory Committee. He and other students interviewed and reviewed applicants and then gave their recommendations to the superintendent.

Dan Lurie has been involved in theatre since his freshman year. He has been in 10 shows and worked backstage on 3 doing props, publicity, stage managing. This year, Dan also became a Guidance Aide, with just enough space free in his schedule.

In addition to Dan's extra curricular activities, he also takes an out of school dance class at Joanne Longiane Dance Center and used to take an art class at the MFA. Dan has taken tap, ballet, jazz, and modern dance since the third grade. He also tutors other students on a need-basis.

Speech and Debate Team

Adviser: James Lallas
Officers: Diana Lu, Niall Schweitzer, and Joy Huang

The Speech Team is comprised of people interested in the performing arts and/or public speaking. The variety of categories available range from Original Oratory, in which the participant creates an impressioned speech on the topic of his/her interest to Radio Broadcasting, in which he/she compiles a radio broadcast from a stack of articles within a 30 minute time limit. A typical meeting would begin with a warmup, followed by performances from individual members. The other members would then critique the speaker. During other meetings, workshops are open for members to improve specific aspects of their performance, such as character development. The main goal of meetings is to prepare all members for the Speech Tournaments held once a month throughout the year.

Four Score and Seven Years Ago... Leslie Kim, May Chau, Ariel DeBairas, Joy Huang, Lilly Li, Caroline Cax-Orrell, Diana Lu, Abby Lokshin, Caroline Casals, Suzannah Golick, Laura Marenghi, Sally Zuar, Eliana Wallack, Shana Hansman.

Thoughtprints

Adviser: Neil Giordano
Officers: Charlie Heidlage, Mary Lauren Hall, Nick Wilton, Eric Susman, Julia Cohen, Emily Cohen, Alexandra Kayhart.

North's art and literary magazine.

Tiger Magazine

Adviser: Lynne Rossman

On the first day, he created the script. And he said, "This is useful for planning video productions." Then he chilled for a couple of days. On the fourth day or something, he created the mini-DV tape. And he said, "This is helpful for when I shoot my video production." Then he took a nap and woke up on the sixth day, and he created Final Cut Pro editing system. And he said, "this makes it easier to edit my video productions." And then he got distracted and ended up searching for antique lamp shades on Ebay. On the seventh day he got back on track and created Tiger Magazine. And he said, "This is kind of funny sometimes, I'm going to air this on New TV Blue channel every Thursday at 7:00." And it was good.

Time for Tutoring Maya Massing-Schaffer, Katherin Shevchenko, Laura Filman, Inbal Tziperman, Emily Price, Sarah Blanks, Andrea Navarro, Edita Zhabjalu, Rachel Kaufmann, Sarah Goodman. **Plans for '07** Seniors Andrea Navarro and Sarah Blanks discuss plans for continuing the club next year when they have graduated North.

Tutors in Action

Adviser: Darby Verre
Officers: Sarah Blanks and Andrea Navarro

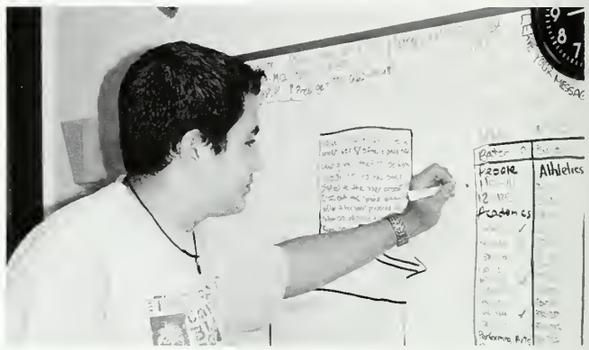
The club focuses on tutoring at various schools in Newton like Burr Elementary and F. A. Day Middle School. We tutor after school, and help the kids at the different after school programs. We also fundraise to raise money for school-aged kids. This year, we focused on buying uniforms for underpriviloged kids in Tanzania. This club is for people who love to interact with kids of all ages.

Newtonian

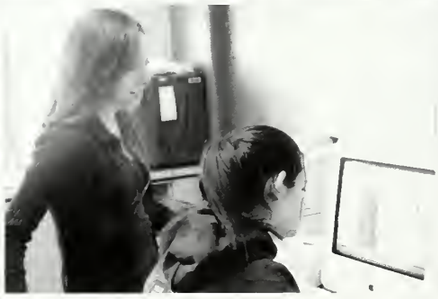
Yearbook

The members of the 2006 Newtonian have spent the whole year working to produce this year's yearbook. The staff, led by editors-in-chief Ely Goldberg and Abby Ryan, worked to produce one of the most visually advanced books in the school's history. Three members of the editorial staff attended the CSPA summer journalism workshop at Columbia University, in June, where work on the book began. "At the workshop we brainstormed our theme, and created our ladder" says Goldberg, "it was fun working on our book while getting creative feedback from some of the best advisers and staffs in the country." While at Columbia, they also created a variety of spreads on paper, not being able to work with computers. "Some of [these] ideas have been implemented into the book," says Ryan. "Working with such highly skilled advisors from across the country and interacting with other editors and staff from a multitude of other schools was really helpful. We all just bounced ideas off each other."

Throughout the year they have spent countless hours in room 418 up on the fourth floor, harassed all sorts of captains, coaches, officers, and volunteers for blurbs, and made phone calls to hundreds of people all to create this book for you. It features you, pictures you, is written about you and what you are passionate about. Take the opportunity and say "Look at Me!"



Are you done yet? Junior Abby Gorman waits for a computer to finish her spreads. Having more people than computers can make it tough to get work done in the Yearbook Office. **"I'm the boss"** One of senior Abby Ryan's favorite phrases she uses it instead of the normal "Cheese!" before her photo is taken. Having spent three years on the yearbook she is now one of the Editor-in-Chiefs. **Check off the finished spread!** Senior Ely Goldberg, an Editor-in-Chief marks off the pages that have been finished. The yearbook staff were required to make sure all components were on their pages before they could check them off. **We're done!!!** After the final page is done juniors Corinne Mitchell, Abby Gorman and Ann Brody pose for a last "Look at Me!" photo with seniors Margalit Tepper, Ely Goldberg, Jessie Alpert and Abby Ryan. Having made it through countless re-writes, photos that need to be processed and many "green pen" incidents, the entire staff of the 2006 *Newtonian* was able to pull together a marvelous yearbook.



To deliver the latest news to North, the 22 editors of the *Newtonite* along with adviser Helen Smith work long hours to produce 16 issues a year. With Sunday morning meetings at Smith's house for the editors-in- chief and managing editors, four blocks a week in the Newtonite 'shop' worked into editors' schedules and press nights lasting until the wee hours, working on the *Newtonite* is not easy. Those involved with the newspaper learn to work hard, to be efficient, and enjoy seeing 16 pages published every other Friday.

The hard work pays off; volume 84 won All-Columbian honors in all categories from the Colombia Scholastic Press Association. And as any editor, production manager, writer or anyone on the vital business side would tell you, that is very fulfilling indeed.

3 issues left! Newtonite senior editors, including Gol Tzipermon Loton, David Charns, Emma Silverman, Aviva Rossmon, Lauren Cohen, and Jessica Li counted down the issues they had left before the end of their "rein" in the newspaper. **Happy Homeroomers** Junior Nate Schauer, senior Phil Keefe, and sophomore Jonah Mirfendereski wait for homeroom to begin. **Editing duo** Seniors David Charns and Lauren Cohen edit their last article together.

Newspaper

Newtonite

Look at Me! On the Field

Athletics

Cleats on grass. Cross trainers on asphalt. Hightops on hardwood. Flippers through water. Welcome to the athletic department. Newton North High School gives students numerous choices in competitive team sports to build confidence and sportsmanship. Newton North High School believes that it is your attitude toward the sport, not how well you perform. On a daily basis, Newton North athletes strive to play their best and to leave the pressures of schoolwork, friends, and family on the sidelines. Dedication and teamwork result in improvement throughout the game and in countless fun times with friends.

Going for the Touchdown

Football Team's Strong Record Brings a Tournament Playoff

Hard drive The diligent Tigers pounce on their Milton opponents in their first victory of the season

Getting through Senior quad-captain Anthony Ambrosi manages to stay on his feet while dodging his opponent

It was a pleasure and privilege to be part of the Newton North Football team in the fall of 2005 season. It was a team that owned its actions and accepted its responsibilities, both on and off the field. Teammates cared deeply for each other and demonstrated this caring with even their smallest actions. The positive attitude that pervaded the team all season long was especially embodied in the senior class. Led by captains Anthony Ambrosi, Jon Loussen, Khalel Pritchard, and Jason Riffe, the class of '06 proved themselves to be a group of skilled and dedicated players, as well as leaders for the underclassmen. This team loved "talking with its pads," loved going full speed for "one second longer," and truly loved playing the game. The passion for football was clearly shown in a commendable season record.

Many goals were met and expectations exceeded throughout the season. Highlights include beating Brookline again on Thanksgiving, winning the Carey Division Championship, and defeating Westford Academy, the DCL champion, in the Superbowl tournament playoffs. The Tigers carried a 10-2 record into the Superbowl, which was lost on a bruising cold December night in Brockton amid many Newton North fans. Despite the final loss, the disappointment was outweighed by the victories. Players and coaches carried with them sweet memories of a dramatic season where players showed off high skills and intense commitment. Thank you for a wonderful season and good luck to our graduating seniors.

-Peter Capodilupo, Varsity Boys' Football Coach

Captains Say . . .

Great season boys. After the success we had in our junior season there was a lot of hype and pressure for us to repeat the accomplishments. However we knew that last year did not matter and we came ready to work every day, from the first days of preseason in August to the few days we had to prepare for the Superbowl in December. We endured the longest regular season in all of Newton North athletics, finishing with a regular season record of 9-2. We decisively beat Westford to advance to the Division 1A Superbowl, in which we lost to Woburn High School. Even though our seasaon did not end the way we wanted it to, in 30 years, we not remember the lows of our season rather we will reflect on the team's companionship and comraderie remember the overpowering win against Brookline on Thanksgiving Day, and cherish the many memories and good times.

Rushing out Seniors Jason Riffe and Darius Abramson along with fellow teammates flood the field in anticipation for the first game

Going, going, gone Senior Brendan Rooney practices his sprinting skills

Down, set, hike Senior Khalel Pritchard takes a snap

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Milton	32	12
Dedham	35	15
Norwood	28	14
Natick	20	26
Framingham	36	6
Weymouth	13	6
Walpole	6	34
Needham	15	14
Wellesley	19	7
Braintree	48	34

Focused on the field Senior quad-captain Khalel Pritchard with the ball during a play. Despite a shoulder injury during the season, the quarterback helped drive the Tigers to success

Varsity Football: Maxwell Abbott, Darius Abramson, Zachary Amato, Anthony Ambrose, Joseph Aswad, Brian Bannon, Ira Berman, Nicholas Caira, Marvin Chan, Marcus Chang, Michael Chang-Brambley, Giavanni Clayborne, Benjamin Darsigny, Akil DeCoteau, Reginald Denny, Christian DeRubeis, Gordon Forbes, Cody Franks, Cal Gilmartin, Evan Kyparissoudas, Jon Laussen, Corey Lawe, Alex MacKenzie, Donald MacKenzie, Edward McCabe, James McCarthy, Ryan McCarthy, Ajhani McCullough, E.J. Metallides, Michael Murphy, Khalel Pritchard, Jason Riffe, Cailean Robinson, Brendan Rooney, J.T. Ross, Kyle Ross, David Smith, Brad Stinehart, Eddie Vachon, Abasu Watanabe

Tumbling to the Top

Cheerleaders Take Top Honors at Regionals

The sport of cheer offers a wonderful format to teach kids the value of being part of a community and working for the benefit of the group rather than putting one's own interests first. Unlike so many sports that glorify the individual, the sport of cheer only rewards those that have brought their individual skills together for the benefit of the group. Our squad, lead by captains Elizabeth Bilotta, Yessica Velazquez and Olivia Kelly, set their goal to be more than they might otherwise dream they could be. It was their goal to achieve levels of excellence and to bring the Bay State Conference title back to Newton North. To achieve these goals the team and captains understood that they needed to be taught the skills to reach them. On one level they needed the ability to tumble, stunt, and dance with real strength. On a higher level they needed knowledge, understanding and the maturity to use them. Over the summer break, the three captains made sure the squad members were up on their conditioning and strengthening program, which really helped with the team's strength and endurance to uphold their intense competition routine choreographed by Happy Hooper from Birmingham, Alabama. Also during the summer months, a few cheerleaders made it out to cheer on the walkers of the 3-Day Boston Walk for Breast Cancer for contributing their time and efforts to help find a cure for Breast Cancer. This brought a sense of community awareness to the group. The team realized that cheerleaders are more than just athletes, but also ambassadors of our school. The Newton North Fall Cheerleaders had a successful season, obtaining 1st place in Division 1 and highest overall score at the Stacy Stott Memorial Cheerleading Championship at Lowell High School, 1st place in Division 1 and Grand Champions at the Minuteman Regional/Arlington Invitational, 2nd place at Bay State Conference Championship, and 4th place at the MSSAA South Regional Championship.

Jessica Gillis Varsity Cheerleading Coach

Ready to Impress Senior Tori Payne, sophomore Andrea D'Amore, and junior Angela O'Dowd are set to cheer the Tigers to victory

Game day smile Junior Marissa Depasquale has a cheery face this Saturday afternoon.

Prep time Junior Ali Saminsky makes classmate Angela O'Dowd's braids look perfect for the game.

Surveying the scene Junior Angelique Gabar looks out into the stands to see the devoted Tiger fans.

Captains Say . . .

We had a great season. Filled with lots of ups and downs, when it came time for competition, we were able to show off our elite skills. You poured your hearts out every day and gave us something to look forward to. We'll never forget how much fun we had together with rapping in the rain to get through games, Christina's amazing dance moves at camp, stuffing our faces at team dinners, and how bout that team makeup? We love you all so much.

- Elizabeth Bilotta and Yessica Velazquez.

Baring teeth George the Tiger poses with smiling seniors Taryn Corusa and Liz Bilotta

Shouting break Sophomore Carissa Jaillet and junior Marissa Depasquale chat on the field while holding their orange and black poms

Varsity Cheerleading Back Row: Paris Mongo, Ashley Parsons, Andrea D'Amore, Carissa Jaillet, Harper Kaye, Katie Stevenson, Caroline Cooke, Alicia Didino **Third Row:** Alyssa Duton, Madison Sutton, Angie O'Dowd, Marissa DePasquale, Ali Saminsky, Angelique Gobar, Catherine Samellas **Second Row:** Andrea Ng, Taryn Caruso, Tori Payne, Christina D'Amore, Becca Stahl, Colette Duffy, Victoria Chan **Front Row:** Liz Bilotta, Olivia Kelly, Yessica Velazquez

A High Kicking Season

Girls' Soccer Crushes Undefeated Teams and Advance to Tournament

The 2005 Newtan Narth Girls' Soccer team had a remarkable seasan. After graduating only four seniors from the 2004 team, a team that reached the state semifinals, expectations for this year's team were high. In fact, the *Bastan Globe* rated the Tigers #2 in its first pall of the season.

The team got off to a strong start, winning the championship game of the Tiger Kickaff Classic against Marshfield, a state finalist in 2004 -- that loss would be Marshfield's only loss until the state tournament.

During the regular season, the Tigers finished 12-4-3 in the most competitive league in the entire state. Eight Bay State League teams participated in the post-season state tournament and these teams accumulated 25 wins during the tournament. In fact two of the Tigers' four losses this season came against Braintree, the eventual Division 1 State Champion.

Based on their record, the team was seeded seventh in the state tournament. After a first round home victory over Masconomet, the Tigers had a second round matchup with Acton-Boxborough, a team picked by many to win this year's State Championship. Playing on the road, the team had one of the greatest performances ever by a Narth team, beating Acton-Boxborough 3-0 and advancing to the North Sectianal Semifinals against Westford Academy. To everyone's surprise the Tigers performed even better in this game, beating Westford 5-0, and advancing to the Division 1 North finals for the fifth time in six years. Despite falling in penalty kicks to league rival, Framingham, the team had put together one of the best tournament runs in recent team history.

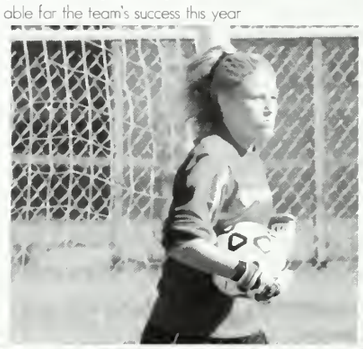
The Tigers were admirably led by nine seniors -- Ali Amira, Jamie Axelrod, Michele Barbone, Julie Blanchard, Katie Glerum, Mikaela Hansen, Courtney Hendrick, Erin Jones, and Kerri Moy. This group's contributions to the Newton North Girls Soccer program over the past four years have been autstanding. In addition to putting together a 50-20-16 record during their careers, they have twice made the Division 1 North Finals, once made the Eastern Mass finals, and twice won the Bay State League title. In addition, they have been excellent role models throughout the Newton North High School community. Each of them will be greatly missed next fall.

-Brian Raaney Varsity Girls' Saccer Caach

A happy huddle A group of girls gather together after a sucessful first half. Senior tri-captain Michele Barbone, however, is eager to get back on the field.

Fancy footwark Saphamare Sara Axelrad pratects the ball from a Sutton player.

The saving grace Senior tri-captain Ali Amira saves a goal far the Tigers. The goalie's skills have been invaluable for the team's success this year.



Bouncing to victory Junior Dana Brill boots the ball up the field while guarding it from her Sutton opponent.

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellesley	1	3
Sutton	1	0
Marshfield	1	0
Brookline	2	0
Framingham	2	0
Notre Dame	2	3
Norwood	6	0
Braintree	0	4
Walpole	5	1
Weymouth	2	0
Needham	3	0
Milton	6	0
Brookline	0	0
Framingham	2	1
Natick	1	1
Braintree	0	1
Dedham	0	0
Weymouth	1	0
Needham	4	0

Captains Say . . .

Like always, we had an incredible season. Fram the cooper ta the five mile run up Camm. Ave, we were the hardest working team in the state. The season was filled with hilarious moments that we will never forget. Of course there were bumps in the rood, but we always managed ta avercome the difficult times and have mare fun than any other team. We have an unbreakable bond that will be greatly missed by the seniors. Thank you for a remarkable experience that will be unparalleled for the rest af our lives.

-Michele Barbone, Mikaela Hansen, and Ali Amira

Good to go Amiro is ready to thwart the opponent's offense with a punt

Expectations and goals Senior Julie Blanchard and junior Alex Blenis, two standout forwards, sit with their team and listen attentively to a talk from Coach Rooney

Back in bounds Senior Courtney Hendrick quickly inbounds the ball to get momentum in the tigers' favor. Hendrick is a key player on defense

Varsity Girl's Soccer Back Row: Jill Zeller, Genevieve Moss-Hawkins, Erin Jones, Dana Brill, Erica Janes, Courtney Hendrick, Carly Westman, Alessia Viscomi, Michelle Kielty, Alex Blenis, Emma Shapira **Middle Row:** Julia Quinn, Hannah Rosenfeld, Sara Axelrod, Katie McLean, Morgan Faer, Alyssa Hansen, Julie Blanchard, Jamie Axelrod, Katie Glerum **Front Row:** Makeita Laurent, Sam Gillies, Jenny Krasker, Mikaela Hansen, Ali Amira, Michele Barbone, Elana Horawitz, Kerri May, Chloe Kuh

In the Back of the Net

Boys' Soccer Kicks in Victories

Tremendous senior leadership helped the 2005 Boys' Varsity Soccer team to a successful season. After the graduation of 16 seniors and 7 starters, the team was supposed to be in a phase of rebuilding. However, led by captains Peter Toohey, Alex Redding, Nick Cassidy and Eli Raffeld, the team played strongly through the season and finished the year with an 11-5-4 record.

Soccer highlights included our 4-0 win at Needham, our 3-2 home victory over Weymouth, and our 3-0 season opening win over Medford. Even in defeat, the team played cleat to cleat with the best in the state (2-1 loss to State Champion Algonquin, 1-0 losses to Framingham and Lexington). The team finished their season playing their best soccer. This was a direct result of dedication, work ethic and tremendous teamwork. Four seniors were recognized by the Bay State Conference coaches as league all-stars: Nick Cassidy, Yousuke Kiname, Peter Toohey and Alex Redding. In addition, Alex Redding was selected as a National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) All-American and Massachusetts Player of the Year!

Off the field, the team worked hard to best represent the school and the soccer program. They were the catalyst to a Hurricane Katrina Soccer Festival that was run in many schools across the state. Working with the girls' team, they raised close to $3,500!

We know that the soccer tradition will continue next season with a skilled group of players led by tri-captains Jessie Simmons, Zack Trubow and Mike Salvucci. We thank the class of 2006 for a great season and wish them well in their future soccer endeavors.

Jim Burstein, Pasquale Puelo, T.J. Williams, Coaching Staff, Boys' Varsity Soccer

Strategy talk Junior Zack Trubow and senior Yousuke Kiname consult each other on the field.

Look of determination Senior quad-captain Alex Redding stealthily sneaks forward to control the ball.

Time to refuel Junior Zack Trubow chugs water to hydrate for another strenuous half.

Block out Senior Eli Raffeld gets in front of an opposing player.

Captains Say . .

When we lost 16 seniors last year, many people thought this would be a rebuilding year. We didn't rebuild -- we reloaded. You were never satisfied with what you were, you always worked to be better. This season was a success and we thank you for all of the hard work, laughter, and memories. We will always be a team.

~ Nick Cassidy, Peter Toohey, Eli Raffeld, Alex Redding

Hold Up Junior goalie Marcel Malafia salvages the ball

Cast Away Senior Dan Wieder inbounds the ball during a relentless tied game.

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellesley	1	3
Sutton	1	0
Morshfield	1	0
Brookline	2	0
Fromingham	2	0
Notre Dame	2	3
Norwood	6	0
Braintree	0	4
Wolpole	5	1
Weymouth	2	0
Needhom	3	0
Milton	6	0
Brookline	0	0
Framingham	2	1
Natick	1	1
Braintree	0	1
Dedham	0	0
Weymouth	1	0
Needhom	4	0

Varsity
Boys' Soccer Back Row Phillip Song, Zack Trubow, Paul Brodeur, Jean St. Fleur, Remi Ciquier, Brian Dahlben, Alex Gurvits, Joey Hattis, Mike Salvucci, Josh Dahlben, Jesse Simmons, Greg Cohan, Zach Visco **Front Row:** Daniel Razulis, Peter Toohey, Dan Wieder, Lawrence Myung, Eli Raffeld, Nick Cassidy, Alex Carvajal, Lucas Walker, Alex Redding, Marcel Malafia

Swinging Through

Field Hockey's Tireless Effort Pays Off Well

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellesley	1	4
Brookline	0	0
Framingham	1	0
Norwood	1	2
Braintree	2	2
Walpole	1	9
Needham	1	1
Dedham	0	4
Milton	0	2
Brookline	1	0
Framingham	1	2
Braintree	4	0
Dedham	0	3
Natick	1	1
Needham	0	0

There is an adage that states, "Knocked down seven times, stand up eight..." The 2005 Girls' Field Hockey Team was knocked down a few times this season, enduring losses and close games. Yet each time they were knocked down, the team was made stronger and more determined. They managed to stand again and prepare to do whatever was necessary to live out their dream of returning the division championship to North. The girls trained harder, stayed later at practices to perfect their skills, and grew closer as sisters.

We played the state champions, and while the score was very close for most of the game, we eventually lost. We also played the eventual 2005 state champions twice, falling down once and fighting with the strength of a tiger the next. At these games, the tenacity and diligence that the team demonstrated during their practices was obvious on the field. Don't anger the Tiger!

Memorable moments include the preseason glow-when everything is possible- the throw-down in Dedham, and Lisa's yellow card. Who could forget Porvin's game at Dedham, Rosa's efforts to recycle water bottles, Rachel waiting for her dad, strawberries and bananas (YES!), and Tasha in goal?

But truly remarkable moments were watching each of you stand up after you fell. You stood together through every loss, every tie and every win. Can there ever be enough said about believing in yourself, setting goals and persevering?
Respect: you gave it and you got it!!

Thank you, Tigers for re-establishing the road for building championships.
-Celestine Meyers, Varsity Girls' Field Hockey Coach

Captains Say . . .

We are so honored to have played with players who define unforgettable. Our success does not only lie in our losses, wins, or massive amounts of ties but in each other. We performed giving it our all, in the blazing hot sun in pre-season, the pouring rain, never ending corners, and oh yes...the unexpected kick boxing in the gym with a volleyball. We all "ran like old ladies in tight shoes," and did sprints until Mrs. Myers was tired! The best thing about it all was we went through it together, striving for greatness and having the time of our lives. From wrestling to amazing team dinners, to spray painting our hair and the team sleepover, we truly bonded as a team, making this season, a season to remember. We love you all and just remember, "the scenery never changes unless you're the lead dog!"

- Lisa Davis, Rasa McElheny and Tasha Cohen

On Guard Senior goalie Parvin Ghazian watches the field.

Conquering stick Senior Lisa Davis handles the ball deftly.

Out in front Junior Tasha Cohen deftly keeps the ball away from her opponent.

Approving smiles Senior co-captains, Lisa Davis and Rasa McElheny happily watch their teammates during a game against Milton.

Skilled to Succeed

Girls' Cross Country Runs and Rebuilds

This season was a great rebuilding year for the Newton North Girls' Cross Country team. Our hard work and dedication paid off and we finished 2nd in the Bay State Conference with a record of 9-2. We had three wonderful captains--Katie Kandub, Maggie Lloyd, and Julia Martin. Their leadership helped the team achieve success. We also had two great assistant coaches, Meghan Clancy and Mr. Mogayzel. Helping to rebuild this year was a strong freshman class, led by Caralyn Ranti. The freshmen won the team title at the Bay State Invitational, and also competed at the Class A State Meet. Strong junior team members included Haleigh Smith and Jess Barton. Overall the girls had a great season!

-Peter Martin, Varsity Girls' Cross Country coach

Keeping Ahead Junior Jess Barton makes a turn around the corner. Barton was a key runner for the girls' cross country team.

Faster! Faster! Junior Kat Chiang and Aliza Edelstein cheer on their teammates as they finish their course.

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Framingham	18	43
Needham	16	45
Milton	18	45
Natick	22	36
Norwood	16	47
Wellesley	27	26
Walpole	21	37
Braintree	15	50
Dedham	18	39
Weymouth	30	28
Brookline	15	50

Girls' Cross Country Bottom Row: Haleigh Smith, Rachel Park, Meg Burkly, Molly Daffner, Aliza Edelstein, Maggie Lloyd, Rebecca Park, Maalika Banerjee, Xinyu Zhao, Elizabeth Altieri **Middle Row:** Jackie Faneuil, Caroline Stinehart, Katie Kandub, Sally Zuar, Lily Casgrave, Jennifer Lee, Adina Hemley-Branstein, Szeman Lam, Robin Hayashi, Caralyn Ranti, Franca Gadenzi, Elena Schwartz **Back Row:** Assistant Coach Brandon Mogayzel, Assistant Coach Megan Clancy, Manager Melanie Jaubanian, Kat Chiong, Nora Barnicle, Tess Johnson, Colby Kennedy, Bailey Hanselman, Liara Goldensher, Emily Price, Jessie Cobb, Claire Merlet, Sophie Dover, Erika Chow, Jess Barton, Coach Peter Martin **Not Pictured:** Julia Martin

Captains Say . . .

Girls, this season has been absolutely amazing. Whether it's getting to the top of the hill in over 80 degree weather or it's cooling off in Crystal Lake, we really got to know each other well. Just remember that your group therapy is here for you, DO YOUR LUNGES (just kidding!), our one and only group run, love Mr. Martin for his crazy track workouts, smile when we get to run in the rain, always play the name game and keep on winning! Oh, and last but not least, ice cream does the body good! We love you and we are so proud of all you girls!

-Katie Kandub, Maggie Lloyd, and Julia Martin

Gallaping Girls Seniors Maggie Lloyd, Liora Goldensher, and freshman Xinyu Zhao stay close while running

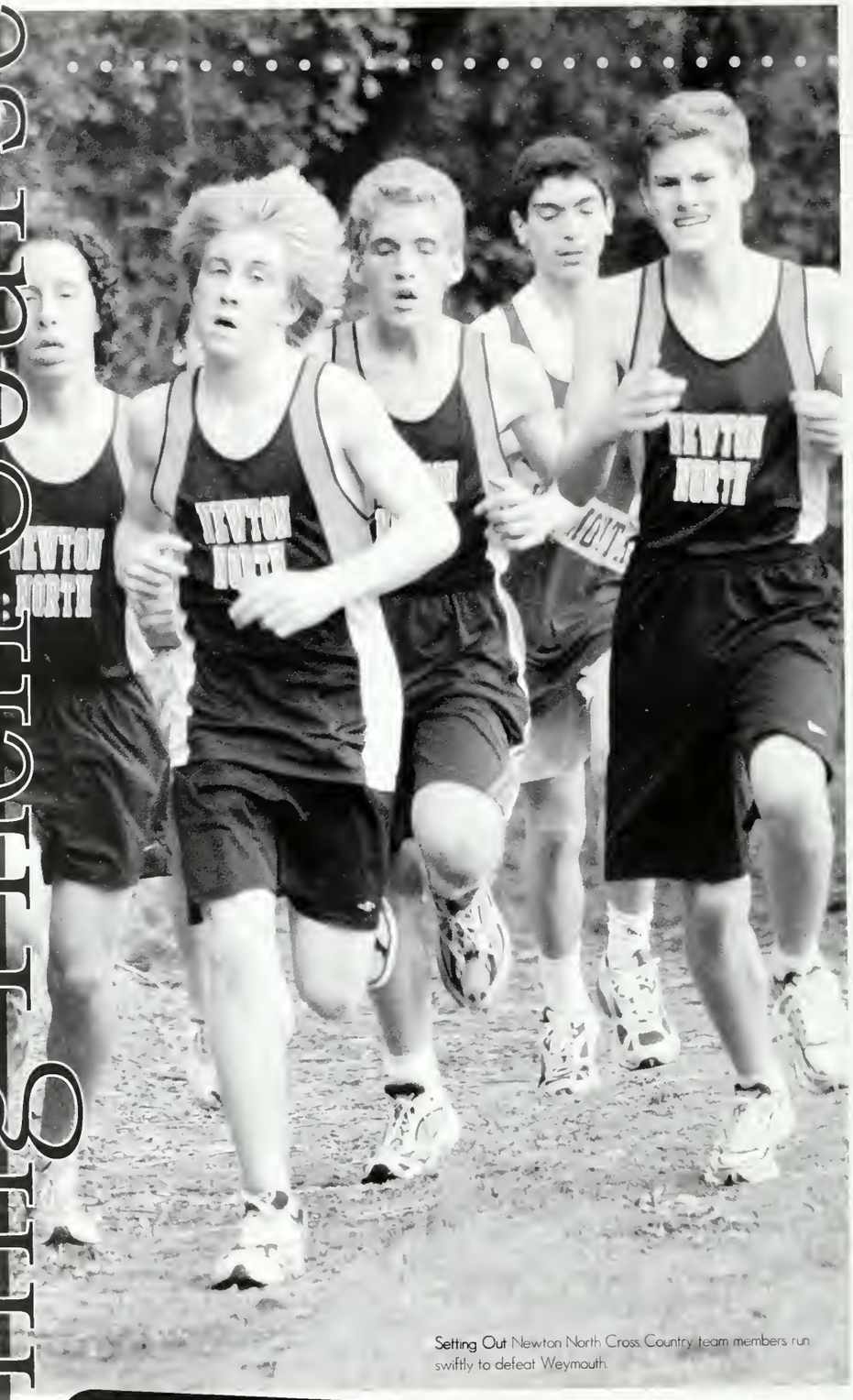
Worrying Weymouth Seniors Jessie Cobb and Emily Price flank a Weymouth opponent during a meet

Looking Hopeful Sophomore Bailey Hanselman keeps a swift pace and an eye on the competition during the last few minutes of her course

One Up Ahead Junior Lily Cosgrove leads a pack of fellow tiger runners.

Surging Forward Junior Haleigh Smith and freshman Carolyn Ranti run neck and neck.

Running Their Course



Setting Out Newton North Cross Country team members run swiftly to defeat Weymouth.

Running Crowd Young members of the team prepare excitedly for the meet.

Got Dreads? Captain David Polgar pulls ahead during a meet. Polgar who has been running on the varsity team since freshman year is known for his creative hairstyles.

Down and front Sophomore Seb Putzeys picks up speed as he runs downhill. Putzeys was an important underclassman this season.

Ahead of the team Junior Alex Palizzotti dashes ahead of his opponent.

Varsity Boys' Cross Country
Timothy Abbat, Stephen Bandini, Raphael Benjamin, Daug Brecher, Ben Chebat, Michael Darfman, Ian Gallagly, David Goldenberg, Daniel Hamilton, Noah Jampal, Jacob Karas, Charles Krasnaw, Jean Merlet, David Palgar, Alexander Palizzotti, Seb Putzeys, James Shapira, Peter Sun, Dan Swartz

Boys' Cross Country Team Continues Tradition of Taking State Top Honors

Head to head Seniors Raphael Benjamin and Jacob Karas pace themselves on a course

The Boys' Cross Country team had a successful season in 2005. The team finished with a 9-2 record in the league, among the top dozen teams in the state. Although this was not equal to the previous year when we won the All State championship, it was impressive considering how many outstanding seniors we lost and the great effort that was put into it. We had three league All-Stars (out of 12 selected)--David Polgar, Doug Brecher, and Noah Jampol. Also, David Polgar finished 2nd in the State Class A Championship. Many young runners show great promise for the future such as Peter Sun, Seb Putzeys, Ben Chebat, Tim Abbott, Charles Krasnow, Mike Darfman, James Shapiro, and David Goldenberg, among others. With more experience and training, it is certain that the Newton North Boys' Cross Country will continue to be a top team in the state. Good luck to the graduating seniors.

-Jim Blackburn, Varsity Boys' Cross Country Coach

Fight to the end Senior Doug Brecher summons enough stamina to make a dramatic finish

A fine line Tiger boys stick together as they make a mad dash for the finish line.

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Brookline	35	24

Captain Says . . .

"Despite losing to Brookline and tying with Wellesley (they didn't really win...) X-C this year had a phenomenal season. Y'all excelled, ER-ed, and managed to run through mud, dirt, snow, snot, water, slush, bushes, trees, other teams, and even a windshield. I'm very proud of you all for pushing through all the hot summer and fall days as well as the bitter cold winter days. You guys had a positive attitude all the way, even after unfortunate losses or injuries, and what matters is that you enjoyed the season and made the best of it. Thanks guys, and good luck next year as we graduate another batch of amazing seniors!!"

-David Polgar

Over the Net

Girls' Volleyball Seizes Championship

The strength of the 2005 volleyball team rivaled that of any in Newton North's storied history! Each of the 4 seniors was instrumental in winning the Bay State Conference Championship and finishing the season with a 19-2 record. 5 players were named to the BSC All-Star FIRST Team! Unprecedented!

Seniors Liz Leslie, Sarah Wengert, and Becca King led the Tigers, and the conference, with attacking power and blocking. Christina Tom was one of the state's top passers/liberos. They leave the team in the strong hands of the 6 underclassmen who each played pivotal roles this year, and who will carry the 2005 momentum into 2006.

-Richard Barton Girls' Varsity Volleyball Coach

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellesley	3	0
Brookline	3	1
Framingham	3	0
Mount Alvernia	3	2
Norwood	3	0
Braintree	1	3
Walpole	3	0
Needham	3	1
Milton	3	0
Brookline	3	2
Framingham	3	0
Natick	3	0
Braintree	3	1
Dedham	3	0
Weymouth	3	0
Needham	3	0
Chelmsford	3	2

Watching What's Above Seniors Christina Tom and Sarah Wengert are ready to bump the ball.

Up in the air The girls raise powerful arms as they engage in some pre-game stretching.

Substitution! Junior Emily Levoy comes into the game for a key point.

Serving it up Junior Theresa Staulo dukes out a mighty serve while classmates Lily Brown and Mae Joseph look on.

Seniors Speak . . .

We couldn't have asked for a better team this year. The dedication everyone put forth made for a great season. We survived Judy, learned to "bring it home" from the best, rocked the OCB, tried on hot costumes, and danced in the first snow of the year. Thanks for the laughter and the tears. This season was more than we ever imagined it would be. We will never forget the fun we had and the friends we made this season. WE LOVE YOU GIRLS!

~ *Sarah Wengert, Becca King, Liz Leslie, and Christina Tom*

Low point Junior Sarah Berkland recovers from a slip after trying boot the ball over the net Classmate Lily Brown pivots in to help out

Ready to pounce Junior Lily Brown is set up to spike

Girls' Varsity Volleyball Front Row: Christina Tom **Middle Row:** Emily Levoy, Lily Brown, Mae Joseph, and Becca King. **Back Row:** Theresa Staulo, Hester Breen, Sarah Berkland, and Sarah Wengert.

Lets Talk Strategy! Junior Ben Cheney talks to senior Nate Ellis with sophomore Matt Kehlmann

Fore! Junior John Nurczynski grins after hitting a great shot

Captains Say. . .

Thanks far a great seasan guys! We had a lat af fun with the rain delay hangouts, eating aut, ar beating Braakline and Natick. We had a lot af players step up this yeor which wos a mojar factar ta aur success. We will always remember Nurchy-baby's sweet sweaters ond Rausseau's great speeches. We can't wait until next year and we're looking farword ta onather great seasan.
-Ben Cheney and Dan Moll

Varsity Golf Back Row: Will Rutherford, Donny Moll, Coach Phil Rosseau, Ben Cheney, Nate Ellis, Matt Kehlmann, Jon Millis **Front Row:** John Nurczynski, Paul Dornfeld, Geoffrey Kehlmann, James Leydon-Mahoney

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellesley	52	57
Milton	73	35
Brookline	71	37
Framingham	63	46
Norwood	46	62
Weymouth	76	32
Walpole	53	55
Needham	61	47
Brookline	70	38
Framingham	49	23
Natick	55	54
Braintree	68	41
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Dedham	77	32
Weymouth	54	18
Needham	51	57

Up, up, and away Senior Geoffrey Kehlmann follows through after a long shot

On the Green

Golf Swings To An Impressive Record

This year's varsity may be small in numbers but it is very large in talent, heart, and commitment. All of these athletes worked very hard and all of them are responsible for the success that this team achieved this year.

Our record speaks for itself with twelve wins and four losses.

- Tied for Bay State league title with our worthy opponents from Needham.
- Winner of the Sullivan Individual and Team Tournament in Brockton.
- And Tied for third in the Bay State Tournament at Braintree

While they were doing all this, they also found time to raise money for the victims of the Hurricane Katrina. I believe they raised over $1200. I wish I could take some of the credit for this. But it all belongs to them.

They are feared and respected for their skill and sportsmanship on the course by their opponents, and the Newton community admires them for their citizenship and humanity off the course. I am very proud of each and every one of them.

A shining drive Junior co-captain Ben Cheney gazes at his strong shot down the green on this sunny day

Putting posture Junior co-captain Dan Mall smiles as he prepares to putt

Teeing totals Senior Will Rutherford looks on as sophomore John Nurczynski records the day's successes.

Dive Right In

Swimmers Set New Personal Records

A strong senior core provided leadership and inspiration to this year's Newton North High School Girls' Swim Team. Captains Alice Duket and Rachel Goldin, in particular, exemplified qualities of teamwork and sportsmanship both in and out of the pool. This year's swim team worked exceptionally hard and their diligence in practice paid off in competition, with many swimmers achieving personal bests in meet after meet. We continued our team success throughout the season, qualifying for the Sectional Meet in 11 of 12 events. In addition, the team was able to send more individual swimmers to the State Meet than it has in recent years, culminating in several personal records. Katelyn Pohlman, Erin Hannah, and Alice Duket were selected as Bay State Conference All-Stars.

In addition to the hard work that the girls put into practice and competition, the Swim Team raised more than $3,000 to support the American Red Cross Hurricane Katrina Relief Fund through a Saturday morning swim-a-thon. This event not only aided in their training but was a team bonding event that brought in a great crowd of spectators to cheer them on.

Good luck to the graduating seniors and thank you for a great season. Next year, we aspire to have the same dedication and positive outlook provided by this year's team.
Kirsten Tuohy Varsity Girls' Swimming Coach

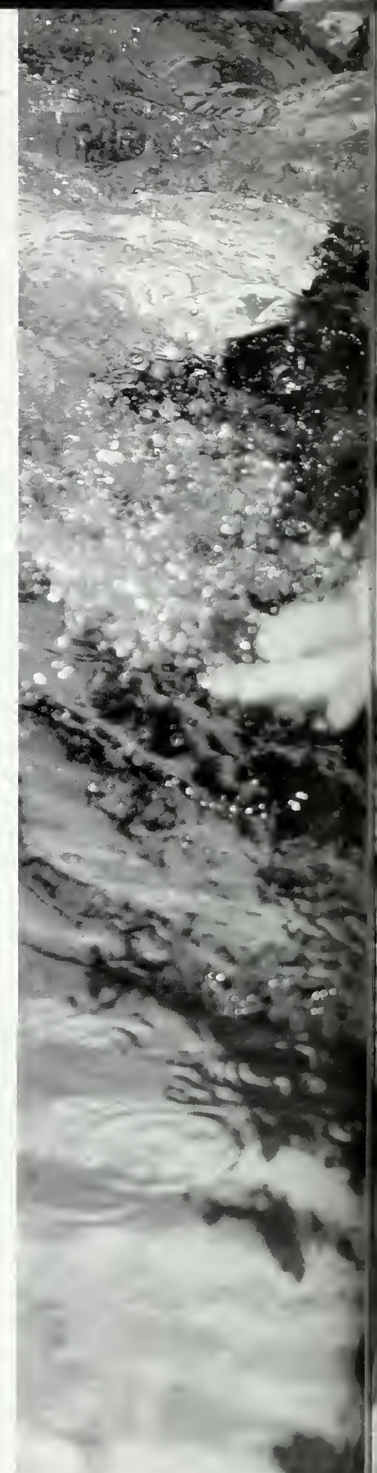
Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Walpole	84	96
Dedham	77	97
Needham	85	96
Norwood	101	79
Boston Latin	90	96
Wellesley	76	104
Braintree	90	64
Framingham	85	99
Brookline	83	101
Weymouth	101	77
Natick	85	95

Rising up Senior Jayme Daniels demonstrates her breaststroke during a race

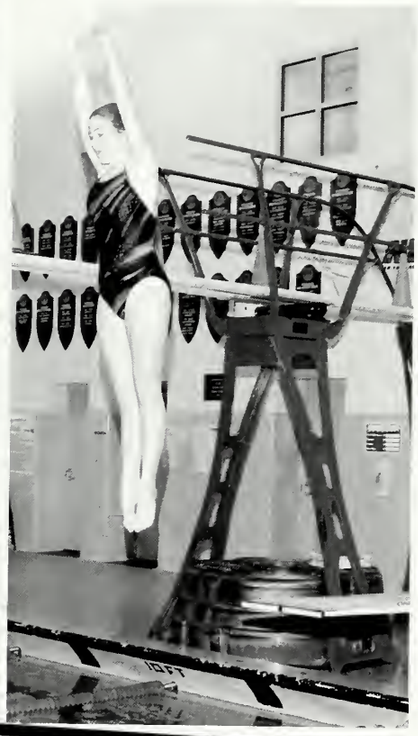
Cravin' the crawl Senior co-captain Rachel Goldin shows off her freestyle skills

Splashing Around Sophomores Alison Mahoney and Emily Stronge congratulate freshman Susie Felts on an impressive practice performance



Captains Say. . .

Girls, you are incredible. As captains, we could not have asked for a better group of girls. You surprised us every day with your humor and hard work. You girls are a perfect blend of hardcore athletes and good friends. We truly had an amazing season despite our record. No one knows how hard we had it with 25-100's and the no-breathers, but we do and we made it through. We will miss you severely next year. Thank you for making our senior year so successful and fun. Really, girls and coaches, thank you for four fantastic years.
-Rachel Lichtenstein Goldin and Alice Duket



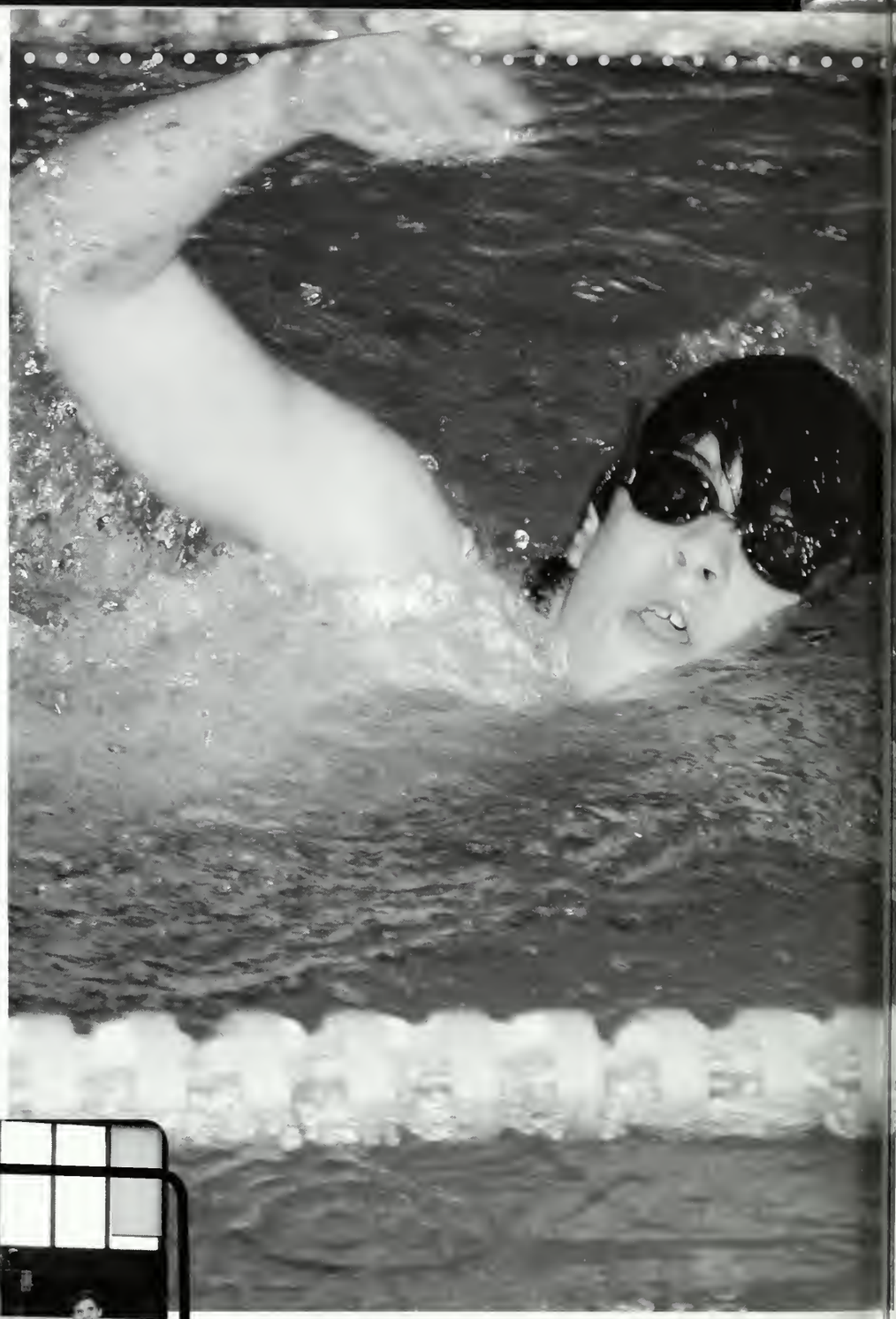
Capped crusaders The team listens to Coach Tuohy as she outlines techniques and strategies for the next swim meet **Painting downward** Sophomore Ally Mulloy perfects her posture as she departs from the diving board **One arm forward** Senior Erin Hannah cruises fast through the water during a practice

Girls' Swimming and Diving Back Row: Cara Weinstein, Judea Beatrice, Stephanie Redmond, Alice Duket, Rachel Krasnow, Rachel Goldin, Erin Hannah **Third Row:** Jill Kulla, Rachel Lefsky, Sarah Lefsky, Hana Haver, Susan Mannix, Erin Hazeltine, Samantha Levin **Second Row:** Kathryn Pajak, Alison Mahoney, Emily Strange, Laura Holdway, Abigail Sauro, May Chou **First Row:** Ariel Yoffie, Jessica Manzo, Tuen Fan, Yiran Zhou, Kathleen Murphy, Susannah Felts, Nevart Varadian **Not Pictured:** Sarah Kaye, Alexandra Mulloy, Katelyn Pohlman, Michelle Sellke

Captains Say. . .

Being a part of the swim team for our four years at North has been one of our best high school experiences. Having a new assistant coach each year presented us with great challenges in adapting to new styles and techniques of coaching and has made each year a memorable one. Our head coach, Amy, has put up with a lot these past four years, and as much as we hate to admit it, she's great. We'd also like to thank our assistant coach, Joe, for keeping us in check and bringing a new aspect of swimming to the table. Even though our record does not show it, we had a great season with a few close meets and many personal records. We would like to thank our boys for making our last season one that we will always remember.

-Aaron Lyon, Jason Cohen, and James Bao



Varsity Boys' Swimming and Diving: Taylor Adams, Ivan Atochin, James Bao, Adam Bao, Samuel Baron, Patrick Carrera, Ben Chebat, John Chilingerian, Jason Cohen, Justin Culici, Ben Grassian, Brandon Harris, Chao He, Jacob Karas, Brett McLean, David Mokriski, Dan Moll, Arthur Su, Simon Xu, Kevin Yee, Matthew Zimmer

Three laps left Freshman Lucas King finishes off a 15 laps during on afterschool practice. **Stay in your own lane** Senior Jason Cohen does 15 laps of the back stroke before practicing the butterfly in the North pool. **Taking a Breath** Sophomore Andrey Tenne emerges from the water to breath before continuing to the finish line. **Get Ready** Seniors Brett McLean and James Bao pose before a match. **Pit Stop** Senior John Chillingerian down the length of the pool.

Laneline Divine

Tigers Swim their Way to Conference Meet

The 2005-2006 season ended with a 2-3 record in the Bay State Conference and a fifth place finish at the season culminating Bay State Championship meet. The team's record does not exemplify the hard work and dedication of such a close-knit team. This year's squad was led by Senior captains: James Bao, Jason Cohen and Aaron Lyon. This was a fantastic year for James Bao who narrowly missed the time standard to compete in the Sectional Championships. Senior Brett McLean had a breakout year by dropping his 50yd Free time to :25.54. Seniors John Chilingerian and Jake Karas proved again their importance to the success of the team by placing in their respective events at the Bay State Conference Championships. The best performance goes to senior Kevin Yee who shattered his personal bests in the 50yd and 100yd Freestyle events and contributed to the success of the 200yd and 400yd Freestyle relays in the Bay State Conference Championship. This senior class proved that hard work does not have to be boring. Whether in the pool swimming laps, running in the gym or up and down the stairs, these seniors kept the team laughing and focused on the task ahead. Their maturity and leadership are traits any coach would wish for in a graduating class.

-Amy Richard, Varsity Boys' Swim Coach

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Boston Latin	86	96
Needham	100	81
Natick	96	89
Brookline	81	99
Framingham	84	97
Wellesley	90	96
Reading/Lynnfield	79	102

Driving for the Pin

Boys Wrestling faces strong competition

After losing 13 seniors to graduation, and immediate challenge arose for the 05-06 NNHS Tiger wrestling team to have a fourth consecutive winning season. Led by only one senior and a hand full of some experienced juniors, the Tigers would need some help from every unexperienced underclassmen. Each and every team member contributed in some way to make the season successful, an ad of the mat. The Tigers finished with 11-9 record and qualified for their first-ever Massachusetts Dual Meet State Tournament. Five wrestlers, Cal Gilmartin, 1st, David Shames, 2nd Brian Mazill, 3rd, Marcus Chang, also 4th, Brendan Vaughan, 4th, qualified for the Individual State Tournament as well as one alternate. Every wrestler had a positive experience and improved in many areas Main areas of focus for the year's team included self-motivation,, self discipline, confidence, commitment. Season highlights include the sweeping of the two quad matches another close victory over Newton South in the pre-holiday match, and a strong showing in the Lowell Holiday tournament.

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Cambridge Rindge	44	24
Catholic Memorial	18	51
Weymouth	9	59
BC High	45	22
Durfee	38	37
Boston Latin	43	30
Walpole	48	22
Newton South	38	33
Framingham	24	51
Norwood	33	42
Wellesley	29	43
Needham	27	24
Milton	27	26
Dedham	47	30
Brookline	38	34
Waltham	21	47
Malden	33	28

Putting Heads Together Junior Brendon Voughn readies himself for his match. **Rising from behind** Freshman Jake Medoff attempts to control his opponent as a referee looks on. **Leg up** Junior Marcus Chang balances while trying to stay in a favorable position. **Off the mat** The team huddles together before a meet to discuss their strategies. The boys' record this season was commendably strong. **Neck and neck** Junior David Shames stays afoot at the start of his match. **Strong lock** Junior Josh Dahlben focuses on keeping hold of his opponent. **Praise and advice** Junior Cal Gilmartin listens as assistant coaches critique his performance.

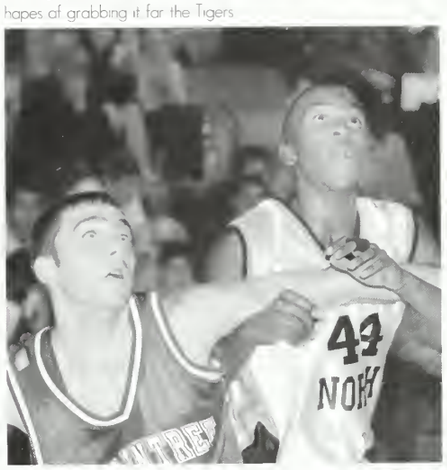
Varsity Wrestling: Roger Cerqua, Marcus Chang, Matthew Clark, Giovanni Cloyborne, Joshua Dahlben, Tom Dekel, Blagoje Djordjevic, Jordan Essinger, Jared Formon, Cal Gilmartin, Christian Hoover, Kodeem Hunter, Dano King, Charlie Lewitt, Jacob Medoff, Brian Mozill, David Shames, Nick Toyios, Brendon Voughn, Don Victor

Captains Say. . .

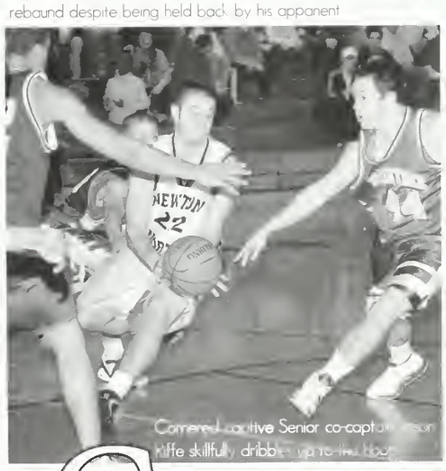
s was a great season for the 2005-2006 Boys' Wrestling team. Everyone worked really hard and this was proven at many atches. Always remember who's bringing the meat and in Dedham, they don't wash the pots. There was great team effort at the st ever dual meet state tournament.

Marcus Chang, Matt Clark, Josh Dahlben, Cal Gilmartin, Brian Mozill, David Shames

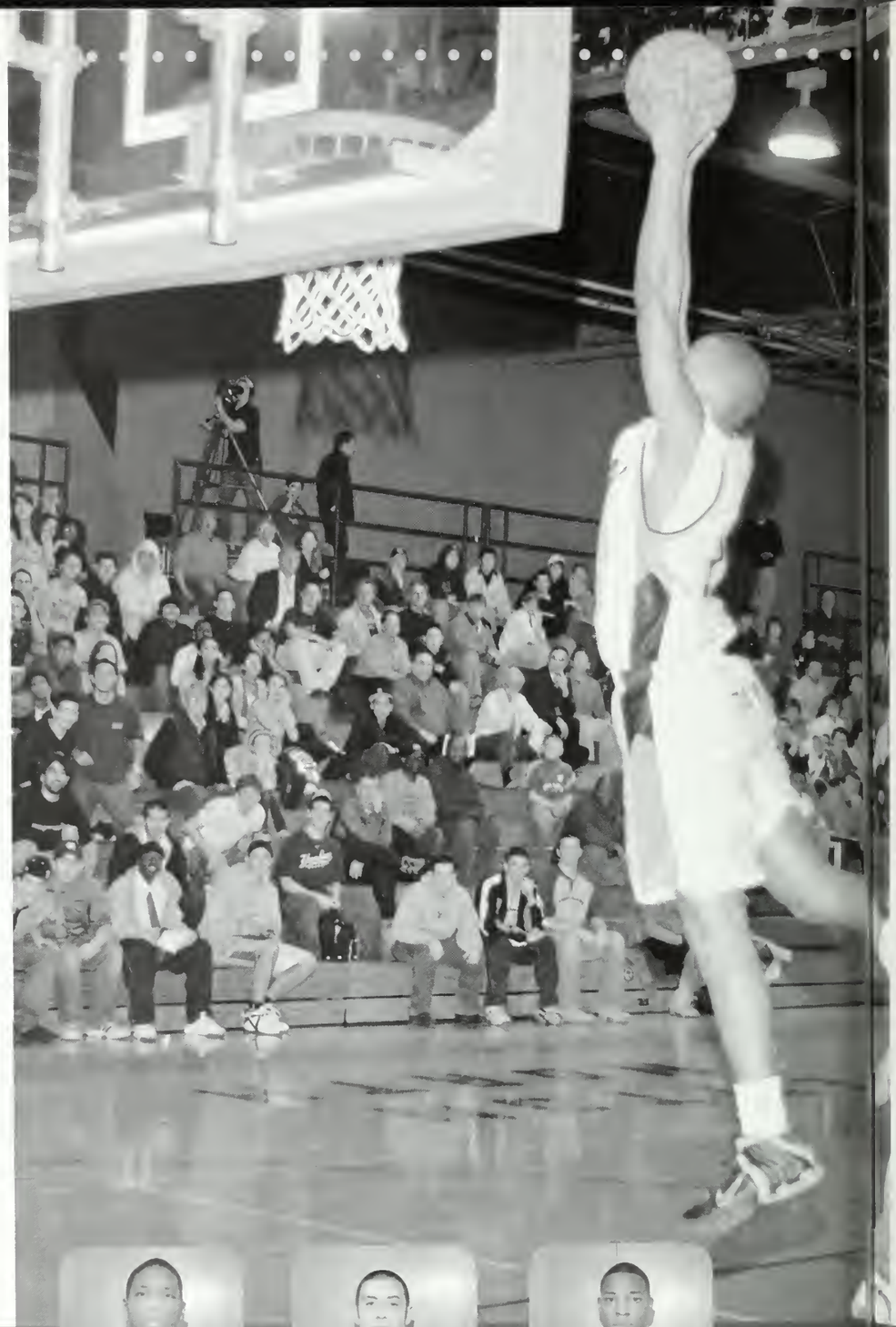
Looking upwards Junior Zach Kahane watches the ball's path in hopes of grabbing it for the Tigers



Breaking free Junior Brandon Stephens attempts to reach for a rebound despite being held back by his opponent



Cornered Captive Senior co-captain Jason Riffe skillfully dribbles up the court



Captains Say. . .

Another successful and winning season...we did it again. Our record of 27-0 and a repeat as state champions showed that we are a dynamic team that can really work together. We had great contributions from all the players and our wonderful coaches helped us achieve all of our goals. Here's to a wonderful season boys.
- Anthony Gurley, Corey Lowe, and Jason Riffe

Boys' Bask

Division I State Champs

Sky high Senior co-captain Anthony Gurley flies to the net to score another two points for the Tigers. Rising above all expectations from coaches and fans alike Gurley made his season spectacularly memorable **Push and shove** Junior Marcel Malafia deflects the ball away from Braintree's hoop. The Tigers defeated them 69 to 47

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellsley	71	66
Brookline	53	34
Chelsea	74	64
Framingham	59	54
Norwood	77	56
Braintree	69	47
Walpole	89	40
New Bedford	85	74
Weymouth	92	55
Needham	75	55
Milton	64	43
Brookline	50	37
Framingham	68	49
Natick	94	59
Brockton	75	71
Braintree	61	58
Dedham	82	69
Weymouth	69	52

The 2005-2006 basketball season was a fantastic journey. After winning the first state title in boys' school history, this year's team came into the season with lofty expectations. Not only did they meet those expectations, they exceeded them. The consensus #1 team in the state, the Tigers put together the winningest season in school history by going 27-0 and bringing home the second straight state championship. With strong senior leadership from Carey Lowe, Anthony Gurley, Jason Riffe, Alexis Mong, Jon Laussen, Michael Huberman, and Darius Abramson. The Tigers took on EVERYBODY'S best and came out on top. Season highlights included a 2nd straight undefeated B.S.C. championship and victories over top-rated Brockton, New Bedford, and Don Bosco Prep, N.J. The Tigers also captured the championship trophy at the prestigious Comcast tournament with wins over B.C. High and Andover. The postseason saw North win over Braintree, New Bedford, Madison Park, Central Catholic, and Holy Name for the state title.

Varsity Boys' Basketball Back Row: Larry Brown, Alexis Mongo, Jon Laussen, Mike Huberman, Tim Abbot, Anthony Gurley, Darius Abramson, Zach Kahane, Brandon Stephens, Corey Lowe **Front Row:** Jared Amato, Marcel Malafia, Kyle Ross, Jason Riffe

Basketball

Boys' Basketball State Champs Two Years in a Row

Girls' Basketball

Success in Key Games Qualifies Team for State Tournament

Stellar start Senior co-captain Kymira Woodberry begins the game with a jump ball

Girls Gathering A huddle gets the lady Tigers revved up for a game

Net Gains Junior Nina DeSimone soars high after snatching the ball on a rebound. DeSimone was a key contributor despite a small foot injury later in the season

Quick switch Junior Alessia Viscomi pivots away from her opponent as she searches for an open teammate on the court

The Newton North High School girls' basketball team completed a successful season with a record of 11 wins and 9 losses.

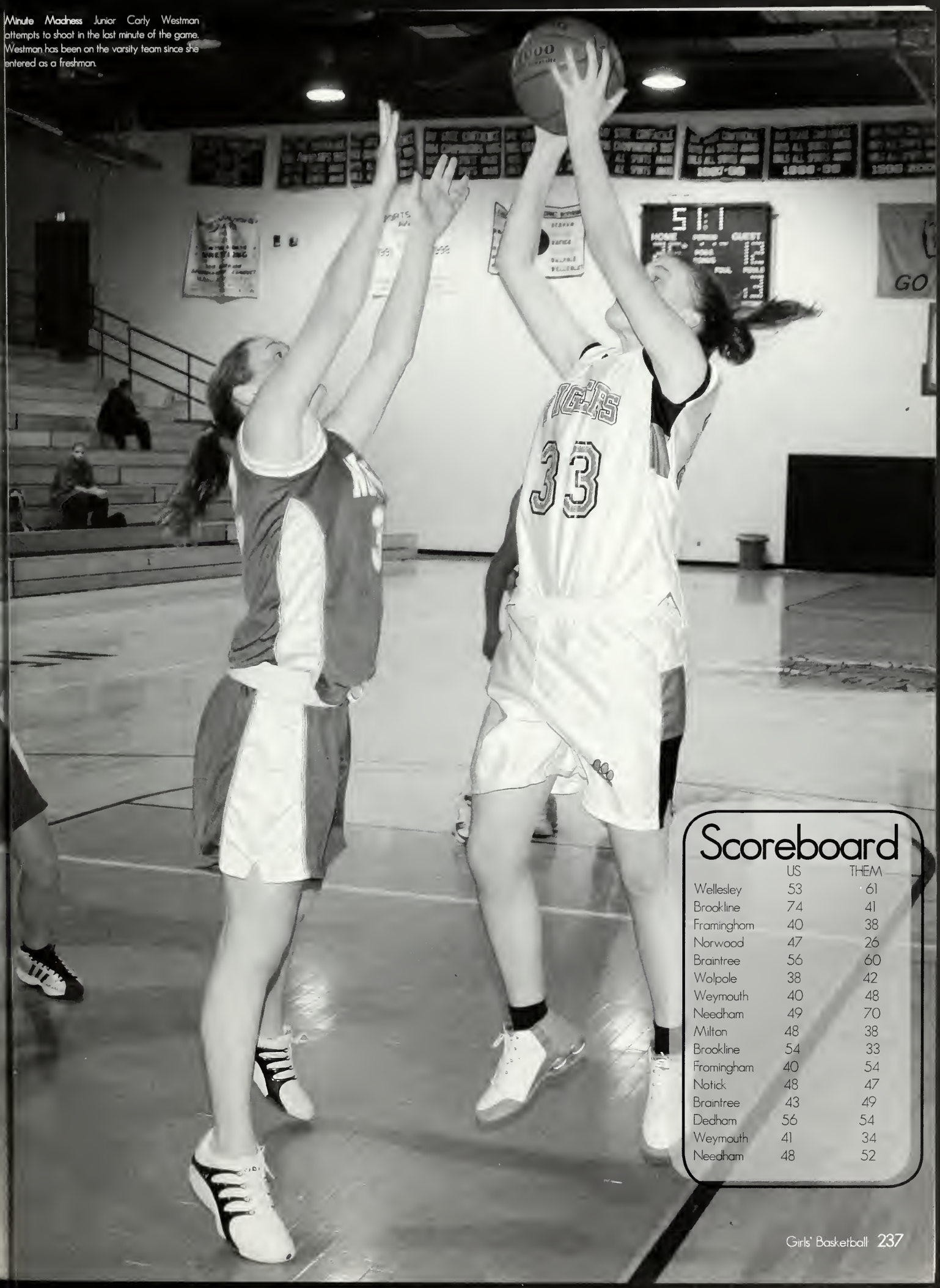
Captains Michele Barbone and Kymira Woodberry led the team to a state tournament berth. Seniors Maggie Kozlov, Ashley Sherman, and Nina DeSimone played key roles in the team's success. The Tigers' ability to win close games was crucial to a winning record. Last second victories versus Framingham and Natick were among the high points of the season. Needing one win in its last two games, the team qualified for the state tournament by winning the Wellesley Winter Classic.

A dedicated and hard-working group of student athletes, the girls succeeded on and off the court. The effort and commitment demonstrated by all helped a create a close-knit team. The "secret" to their success was the willingness to take risks and trust each other.

Varsity Girls' Basketball Back Row: Coach Mark Aronson, Adrienne Lichten, Lydia Rodman, Emily Levoy, Nina DeSimone, Ashley Sherman, Assistant Coach Nicole Conway **Middle Row:** Alessia Viscomi, Maggie Kozlov, Kymira Woodberry, Carly Westman, Mariah Wynn **Front Row:** Jill Zeller, Michele Barbone, Jennie Krosker

Captains Say . . .

The Girls' Varsity Basketball team this year has been a very fun and exciting experience. Even through we were unable to become state champions, in our hearts we had won because the bond that the team had with each other was much more important than a championship. Much love and hopefully we will be able to obtain this wonderful friendship.
-Kymira Woodberry, and Michele Barbone

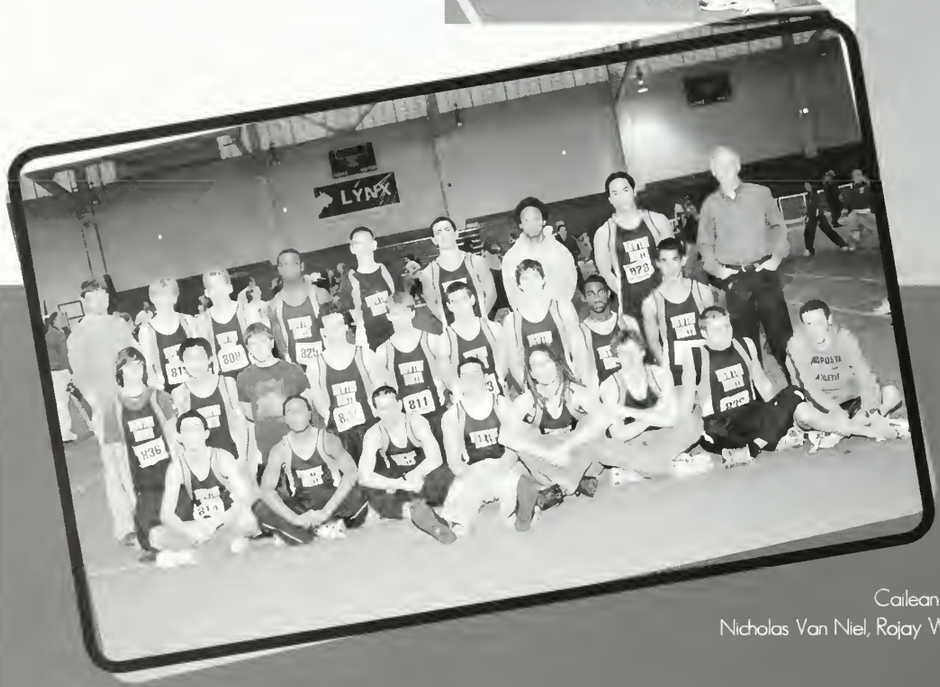


Minute Madness Junior Carly Westman attempts to shoot in the last minute of the game. Westman has been on the varsity team since she entered as a freshman.

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellesley	53	61
Brookline	74	41
Framingham	40	38
Norwood	47	26
Braintree	56	60
Wolpole	38	42
Weymouth	40	48
Needham	49	70
Milton	48	38
Brookline	54	33
Fromingham	40	54
Notick	48	47
Braintree	43	49
Dedham	56	54
Weymouth	41	34
Needham	48	52

Two more... Senior Nick Von Niel sprints over the last set of hurdles **In and Out** Seniors Anthony Ambrosi and Alex Lee focus on their breathing during the first rotation around the track **Ready, Set, Go!** Seniors Kholel Pritchard and Cailean Robinson set off around the track with Robinson in the lead **Take it!** Senior Alex Lee gets ready to pass the baton to the next runner **Pre-run chillout** Many members of the Boys indoor track team participate in multiple events during competition so its important to rest and relax between heats **Hercules?** Senior Anthony Ambrosi throws shot put during the all day competition



Varsity Boys' Indoor Track Anthony Ambrosi, Doug Brecher, Marvin Chan, Michael Dorfman, Gabriel Feinberg, Gordon Forbes, Ian Gallogly, James Greeley, Alexander Gurvits, Noah Jampol, Charles Krasnow, Constantinos Kreatsoulas, Hymlaire Lamiserre, Alexander Lee, Steven Long, Maxmillian MacArthur Ricciuti, Nick Mastroianni, Ryan McCarthy, Jared Platkin, David Polgar, Alexander Polizzotti, Khalel Pritchard, Sebastian Putzeys, Alexander Ribner, Cailean Robinson, Brendan Rooney, Eric Sellke, David Smith, Shu Liang Sun, Nicholas Van Niel, Rojay Wogner, Abasu Watanabe, Max Wenneker

The indoor season was another successful one for boys' track. Undefeated for the 9th consecutive year at 6-0, we also placed 2nd at the state relays and hope to challenge for our third straight state title. We won the state team pentathlon as well.

Outstanding team members have been David Smith in the shot put, David Polgar in the mile, Cailean Robinson in the 55 meters, Noah Jampol in the 1000 meters, Anthony Ambrosi in the relays, Khalel Pritchard in the long jump, Gordon Forbes in the lang jump, Brendon Rooney and Nick Van Niel in the hurdles, Seb Putzeys in the mile, and Jared Plotkin in the 600 meters. Alex Lee also led in the 300.

After losing such great runners as Jed Carpenter and Chris Barnicle, the team has nicely continued its winning ways for another season. Thank you to the athletes for another great year.

-Jim Blackburn, Boys' Indoor Track Coach

Captains Say. . .

Indoor Track had a great year. With some motivational problems, we grouped together as a team and we picked it up. Because of this change, we finished strong. We were the top team in the Bay State and second in the All-State meet. Thanks for a great season guys.
- Anthony Ambrosi,
David Polgar,
Nick Van Niel

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Brookline	53	33
Weymouth	57	28
Needham	67	18
Braintree	65	21
Framingham	61	25

Boys' Indoor Track

Team Remains Nine Years Unbeaten

Girls' Indoor Track

Light as a feather Sophomore Vicki Marone flies over a set of hurdles, making the difficult track event look easy.

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Brookline	76	5
Weymouth	64	21
Needham	62	24
Braintree	77	9
Framingham	55	19
BSC Interdivisional Event	47	39

Over, not under Junior Alex Benis leaps over the bar during a meet. **Far, Far Away** Junior Morgan Faer stretches in preparation for a shot put throw that will go the distance. **Eyes on the prize** Senior co-captain Julie Blanchard rounds the last turn in her heat. **Dashing Hopes** Freshman Michele Kaufman sprints intensely along with her opponents. **Breakaway** Junior Elana Horwitz bolts out of the starting point and begins to pull ahead of the competition.

Captains Say. . .

Track equals life and what a great life it has been. We love this team. There is no other reason we would spend so much time running around in circles and throwing things. Our small team of 46 girls has banded like a bunch of protons and electrons, except for the negative part because if it weren't for our incredibly positive attitude and cheerful nature, we never would have pulled it out and won State Relays in a thrilling and unforgettable meet. Words cannot express the desire we feel to give huge bear hugs to all of you, our favorite girls, the only girls in school who aren't afraid to bust out a boisterous round of "big booty" (big booty, big booty, oh yeah, big booty). From losing our voices in cheer-offs, dance-offs, and victory dances, to just being insanely wild at practice, this season could not have been more tigerrrrrrrific! You girls are amazing and we know that you will keep the tradition of the track team alive for years to come. Keep on TRACKing! P.S. This is the most important piece of advice that we're going to leave behind for you. Remember to hide your food from the guys in orange at Reggie!

LoveYour Captains,

Julie Blanchard, Szeman Lam, Kerri Moy, Leah Weisman

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Stellar Standouts Produce Remarkable Records

Preparing for the end Senior co-captain Kerri Moy and freshman Carolyn Ranti stay close together during an event, pacing themselves for the final blast of speed near the finish line.

Surpassing lowered expectations due to having a roster that was 25% smaller than the previous year, the Girls' Track Team still managed to make an impressive mark. Zooming past their competition in dual meets, they again went undefeated. Every last member contributed as the Tigers won the State Relays, crowned themselves Bay State Champions, and placed 3rd at the Division I meet. Moreover, the girls were a dominating presence at the Bay State league meet where they had 7 league All Stars. And perhaps the highest honor won by the team happened in New York where the shuttle hurdlers placed fifth, earning All American Status.

Natick proved to be the only true test for the Tigers. Literally every race was crucial to the girls' victory. Even the pre-meet cheer was competitive as the Natick girls tried to shout out the Tigers. Athleticism, however, proved tougher than talk as the North girls fought their way to a nail-biting win.

Having a small team has its advantages, though. Jumpers, throwers, and runners alike became closer and closer as the team bonded over the course of the season. Undoubtedly, head coach Joe Tranchita's focus on team chemistry played a large role in the team's air tight togetherness. Lending a hand were assistant coaches Adam Carpenter, Peter Martin, Mo Magazel, and John Waldron. Implicit in their coaching is a focus on discipline, technique, and a winning attitude and it showed in the girls. Every practice and meet was both challenging and fun.

Keeping with tradition, the Tigers had a great season despite losing some key seniors. Each athlete leaves with knowledge and experience that will help them overcome fears, strive to perform at the top of their game, face intense competition, and perhaps most valuable of all, make lasting friendships. Rolling into next year, the Tigers are shaping into another perennial power in the Bay State. Ready for anything and anyone that comes their way, they remain focused on excellence. Indeed, "from track to track, the Tigers are the mack."

Varsity Girls' Indoor Track Nara Barnicle, Jess Barton, Sarah Berkland, Julie Blanchard, Alex Blenis, Lily Brown, Kat Chiang, Margan Faer, Jadyn Faneuil, Bonny Guang, Bailey Hanselman, Adina Hemley-Bronstein, Elana Harwitz, Tracy Isman, Michele Kaufman, Calby Kennedy, Becca King, Emma Kornetsky, Szeman Lam, Sally Leung, Vicki Marane, Kathleen McLean, Kerri May, Caralyn Ranti, Stephanie Seldin, Haleigh Smith, Theresa Staula, Leah Weisman

Captain Says . . .

Here's to face-offs, goals, assists, overtime, livin' on the road, cold rinks, early mornings, breakaways, big saves, goin' top shelf, countless hours of practice, bag skates, thousands of dollars, dangling d-men, big hits, broken twigs, new skates, coaches, adding the letter "y" to the end of everyone's last name, pick up, fights, let downs, miracles, and most of all-- the game, HOCKEY-- it's what we live for.
-Alex Coletti

Varsity Boys' Hockey Max Abbott, Mike Asaley, Brian Bannon, Tim Bialecki, Chris Boudreau, Alex Coletti, Robbie Fei, Ben Levy, Brian Lopez, Mike Lopez, Dave Matthews, Anthony Moscatelli, Angelo Paolini, Joe Penta, Kurt Rooney, Tom Rosenfield, Dan Szerlip, Zach Visco

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Wellsley	3	1
Minuteman	4	2
Brookline	6	1
Peabody	1	7
Newtan Sauth	6	1
Framingham	0	5
Narwaad	1	4
Braintree	4	1
Walpale	1	3
East Boston	8	2
Weymauth	0	7
Neeham	2	5
Miltan	3	4
Brookline	2	2
Framingham	0	4
Natick	0	8
Braintree	1	2
Dedham	1	4
Weymouth	1	7

Boys' Hockey

Boys Strive for Success in the '06 Season

Shoo in Freshman Dan Szerlip maneuvers the puck around the Peabody goalie. Underclassmen were key contributers to the varsity team this season.

Ready to slide Freshman Anthony Mascatelli, senior Brian Bannon, and junior Tom Rosenfield line up to skate out.

Mask on, face off Senior Kurt Rooney faces off at the start of the game. Rooney has been on the varsity team since freshman year.

Blocking the way Junior goalie Zach Visco pays attention to the puck and readies himself to make a save.

Glide on through Senior captain Alex Coletti skates swiftly through his opponents and looks to teammates for an assist.

The young Tigers began the season with great promise and excitement by getting off to their best start in years with wins over league rivals Wellesley (3-1), Brookline (6-1), Braintree (4-1) and cross town rival Newton South (6-1). Youth and inexperience caught up with the Tigers as they got into the heart of the Bay State Conference. However, they remained competitive and fought hard to the end. The Tigers failed to make the state tournament, but they doubled their win total from the previous season (6) and increased their point total (13) over two times from last season.

The Tigers will miss the experience and leadership of their six seniors, Captain and 1st team All star Alex Caletti, 1st team All Star Kurt Rooney, defenseman Chris Baudreau, and forwards Max Abbott and Brian Bannon, but the return of Bay State Conference All Star Goalie Zach Visco and a talented group of underclassmen makes for a promising future.

Jay Ferrara, Varsity Boys' Hockey Coach

Lined and ready The whole team stands during the opening of a game. **Score!** Teammates Jesse Rubin and Danielle Doherty celebrate after a great play. **Pass it!** Freshman Danielle Doherty and Senior Mikaela Hansen work together to score a goal in the game against Wellesley. **Captain's luck** Senior captain Katelyn Pohlman prepares for a slapshot into the net, scoring the Tigers another goal. **I got it!** North's goalie Leslie Kim awaits a slapshot delivered by the opposing team.

Scoreboard

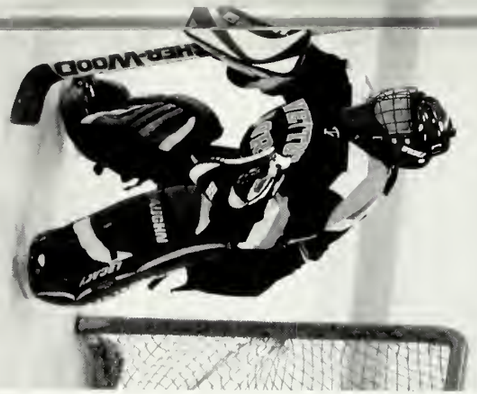
	US	THEM
Milton	3	6
Wellesley	4	7
Brookline	7	2
Natick	2	0
Reading Memorial	3	7
Framingham	3	4
Norwood	8	4
Braintree	5	2
Walpole	8	1
Lincoln-Sudbury	3	1
Watertown	8	0
Needham	1	6
Milton	3	0
Brookline	7	0
Framingham	7	1
Natick	8	6
Braintree	4	0
Dedham	5	4
Sandwich	3	2
Needham	2	4

From the outset, the Newton North Girls hockey team knew they would have to bring a lot of heart to their 2005-2006 season. With ten positions left vacant by departing seniors, the team cultivated a determined work ethic in order to meet their goal of a winning season.

The first month of the season had the team off to a rocky start, with losses to Milton and Framingham for an overall 2-4 record. But the Tigers would not give up. Led by the examples of senior tri-captains Kaele Hansen, Courtney Hendrick & Katelyn Pahlman, the girls pulled together as a team. The pairing of junior Anna Jekel's intensity with the stick handling skills of senior Jessi Rubin and the scoring prowess of freshman Danielle Doherty gave the Tigers a powerhouse power play that opponents could not contain. Rachael Gilardetti and Leslie Kim, the Tigers' pair of rookie goalies, took turns between the pipes for consistent goaltending. With converted forward Kaele Hansen back to round out the defense anchored by the dependable Katelyn Pohlman, Newton had its defensive house in order.

By mid-season the Tigers were on the upswing with a series of big wins, including a 3-0 shutout against Milton and a 7-1 victory over Framingham to qualify for the state tournament. A thrilling 4-3 win over Dedham marked the first time Newton North defeated the Marauders and set the tone for the rest of the season. The team won 12 of their last 14 games for an overall record of 14-6.

The Tigers headed into the tournament with energetic enthusiasm, but were unable to best the higher seeded Arlington Catholic in the first round game. Despite this frustrating defeat, the coaches view the season as a great success. The supportive camaraderie and determination of this team will serve as a benchmark for all Newton North Girls Hockey teams to come. The coaching staff would like to extend special thanks to the team parents for their support, and to all of the senior girls who led the team with exuberance and dedication. Karen McCabe and Cassi Walker, Girls' Hockey Coaches



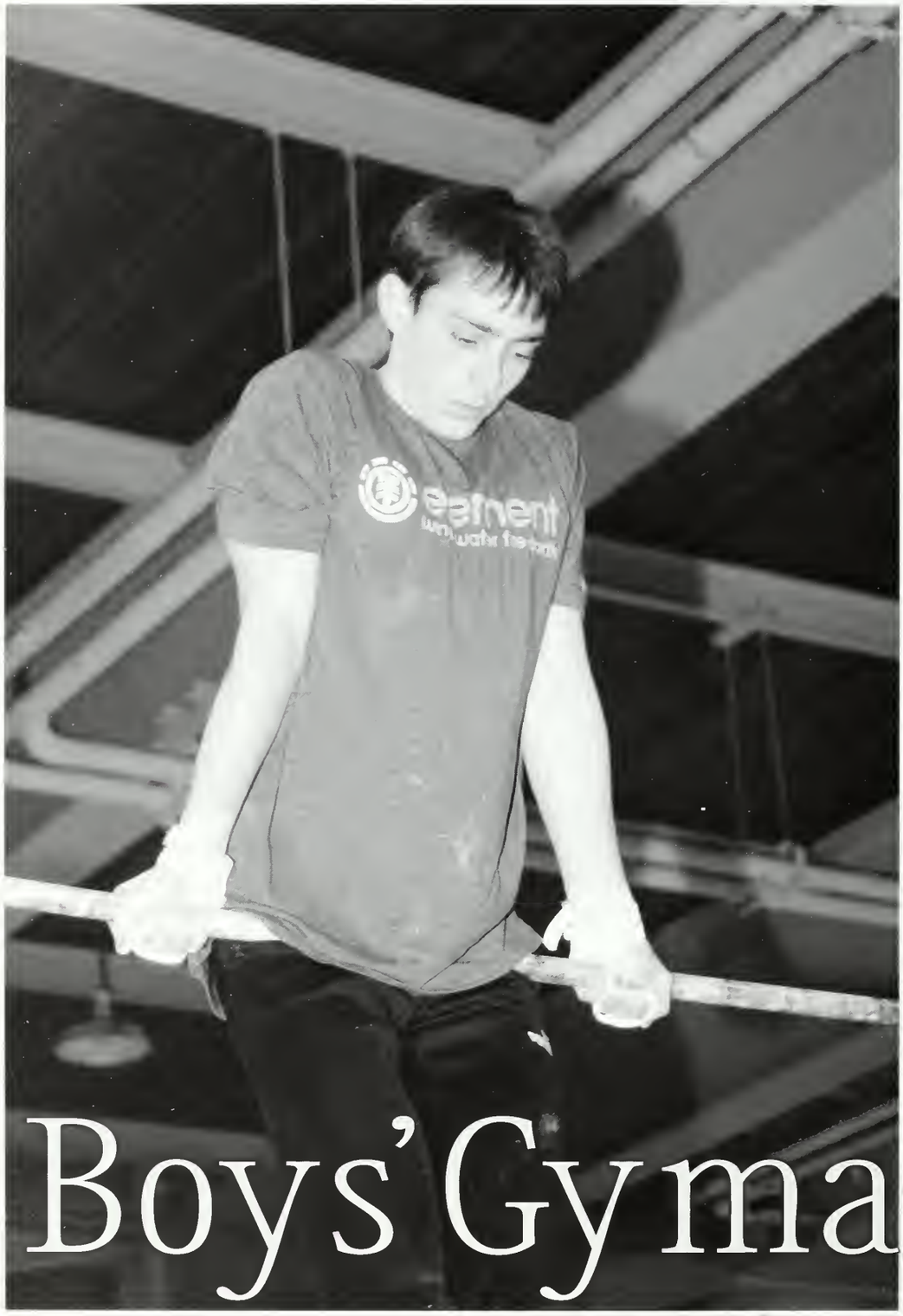
Girls' Hockey

Team Steps Up Skills for Success

Captains Say. . .

Thanks for making this season one that we will never forget. Coming into this year having lost 12 seniors, we were a little nervous. But because of our character and passion, we were able to prove our expectations wrong. Never forget...that we beat Dedham, that we won the Senior Cup, all of our locker room laughs, our crazy orange extension cord and speakers, team dinners that never ended, T-HOUSE movie nights, Friday night practices, best up music, and all the fun times. We redefined tiger hockey. Congratulations on a great season. WHOSE HOUSE?
-Mikaela Hansen, Courtney Hendrick, and Katelyn Pohlman

Varsity Girls' Hockey Front Row: Brooke Butera, Rachel Krasnow, Katelyn Pohlmon, Leslie Kim, Rachael Gilardetti, Kaele Hansen, Jessi Rubin, Jesse Creedy-Powers **Back Row** Assistant Coach Zachary Torman, Sam Gillies, Amanda Taylor, Gwyneth Ross, Morgan Abbott, Elizabeth Gargas, Anno Jeke! Danielle Doherty, Courtney Hendrick, Assistant Coach Bob MacDougall, Coach Karen McCabe
Missing: Kate Gallogly



Boys' Gymnastics

Boys' Gymnastics Starts Strong

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Salem	157	135
Revere	157	132
Burlington	156	153
Andover	156	117
Attleborough	146	143

Gripping Paint Senior Christopher Leavitt holds steady on the bars **Swift Swinging** Junior Mike Brown prepares to swing up on the uneven bars **Two Feet Forward** Senior Christopher Leavitt is perfectly piked while practicing his routine **Evenly Attentive** Senior Hamza Syed displays his impressive arm strength on the parallel bars. **Springing Away** Senior Alex Carvajal readies himself to sail over the vault **Posed Players** Yon Dotan, Tomer Soran Christopher Leavitt Luke Johnson, and Eddie Han take a break from the bars and rings to mug for a picture

The 2006 Boys gymnastics finished the season with its best performance of the year. They finished second in the State Championship to powerhouse Braintree. Junior Mike Brown was the State High Bar Champion and placed 2nd in the all-around. He also finished in the top 6 on all the remaining 5 events. Senior Eddie Han also did well in the meet which earned him a spot on the Massachusetts Team at the National High School Championship.

Throughout the season, the team was led by captains Han, Chris Leavitt and Luke Johnson. Other important contributors were Brown, senior Yon Dotan and sophomore Hal Bronk. The team finished with a 5 and 2 record and we are looking forward to a successful season next year.

Steve Chan Varsity Boys' Gymnastics Coach

Varsity Boys' Gymnastics: Harold Brank IV, Mike Brown, Alex Corvajal, Eric Cheng, Yon Dotan, John Garabedian, Mike Garcia, Eddie Han, Kevin Ho, Luke Johnson, Christopher Leavitt, Tomer Soran, Hamza Syed, Bo Xu, Dennis Yip, Lawrence Yu

Captains Say. . .

Since we joined the gymnastics team in our freshmen year, it has been a wild ride. It has been amazing to watch the team evolve, see our skills progress, and have our roles as leaders come to be. Newton North and Newton South teams merged this year. It started out as a rough change because there were six captains and few people knew each other. By the end of the year, our combined team become one. After the first few meets, everyone realized how much room for improvement there was for them, especially with the stiff competition this year. The team was hungry to take risks, learn new skills, and perfect their routines. This is the attitude of a winning team. We were prepared for the sore muscles, bloody hands, and tough meets, but something we weren't prepared for this year was losing a teammate. Carlos Barrero was a great friend and teammate; his benevolent attitude and never-ending ambition will always be remembered. We are happy to say that we won the Second Place trophy at the State Meet and that we are devoting this season to Carlos. We would like to thank our coaches Mr. Chan and Mr. Steves, our teammates this year, and our teammates from previous years for an awesome four years and a great 2006 season. Good luck next year!

-Eddie Han and Christopher Leavitt

Captains Say. . .

This is the best seson thot Girls' Gymnostics hos ever hod. We occomplished oll of our gools ond hod o greot time doing it. Plocing in the top three of the Bay State Leogue is something thot we hovn't been oble to do in olmost four yeors. We wont to thonk the girls for on owesome seoson. Good luck next yeor!

-Becca Stahl, Sanya Highfield, and Judea Beatrice

In the dust A trio of gymnasts chalk up before practicing the uneven bars.

Scoreboard

	US	THEM
Brointree	128	130
Norwood	133	116
Weymouth	126	131
Notick	125	110
Frominghom	129	128
Wolpole	127	117
Needhom	130	125
Dover-Sherborn	130	125
Brookline	128	116

Varsity Girls' Gymnastics Front Row: Miriam Beit-Aharon, Arliene Posno, Sophia Perides, Nevart Varadian **Back Row:** Katie Manopoli, Samantha Levin, Sanya Highfield, Becca Stahl, Judea Beatrice, Elizabeth Davis, Arielle Dembe

Girls' Gymnastics

Gymnasts Tumble into 3rd Place at Bay States

The girls gymnastics team enjoyed one of their most successful seasons in decades, if not, ever. On four occasions their combined efforts achieved scores over 130 points although the highest Newton has ever scored before that was 127. The team also posted record high event totals, while Katie Manopoli became the record holder in every event and the All-Around.

The girls started each apparatus with solid performances while Rebecca and Katie finished with knock out punches. The team worked hard behind the leadership of Captains Judea Beatrice, Sonya Highfield, and Rebecca Stahl.

This team was something special! and what a fantastic season it was!

Jim Chin, Varsity Girls' Gymnastics Coach

Balancing Act Senior Katie Manopoli shows of her superior skills on the high beam. **Ready and steady** Freshman Nevart Varadian prepares herself for a flip on the balance beam. **Beam Scheme** Freshman Miriam Beit-Aharon performs her routine on the beam with grace.

Get a grip Junior Arielle Dembe holds on tightly during her routine on the the uneven parallel bars.

Time to Ski! Team Captains Anna Ziskend, Matt Tedrow, Sam Berman, Will Nichols and Julia Cohen chill with fellow seniors Jayme Daniels and Gabe Daly on the the ski slope

Captains Say. . .

A season without snow...we hoped and prayed but when we finally got a huge snowstorm, two more races were cancelled because of too much snow! Rotton egg showers, Vermont, inhaling flies, hiking it at Blue Hills, 60 degree weather, spring skiing in January, hottubbing, getting lost on the way home, the 13 minute record, and strawberries were all great memories. Thanks for an awesome season despite all the problems and good luck next year!

The main ski slope at Blue Hills

Captain Says... Team Captains Anna Ziskend, Matt Tedrow, Sam Berman, Will Nichols, and Julia Cohen with thier coach Pete Feldman try to go skiing depsite the lack of snow.

This year's Alpine Ski Team was led by captains Anna Ziskend, Julia Cohen, Sam Berman, Matt Tedraw, and Will Nichols. The Bays' team finished in 4th place in the league, while the Girls' pulled through with a 4th place finish as well. "We had a really great seasan and I'm really happy that we were able ta da well," said Ziskend. Unfartunately the winter did nat provide with much snaw but the team avercame this obstacle. "Althaugh there was a lack af snaw, we were able ta da same skiing, and we all had a great time banding," said seniar Julia Cahen. Key skiers this year included Sam Hyatt, Jash Nathan, Jayme Daniels, Maddie McSally, and Olivia Swamley. The team is very praud af their accamplishments and hapes ta cantinue their success in the future.

Varsity Alpine Skiing Back Row: Kid, Daniel Kulla Matt Tedrow, Coach Peter Feldman, Gabe Daly, Will Nichols, Sam Hyatt **Middle Row:** Jayme Daniels, Anna Ziskend, Kid, Kid, Natasha Cochran, Julia Cohen, Jonathan Kaufman **Front Row:** Sam Betman, Michael Schatz, Olivia Swomley Alex Gross

Alpine Ski Team

Alpine Ski Team ... And No Snow?

Ready to skate Senior Ali Decker looks at the course ahead

Sliding In Senior Meg Burkly pushes forward during a warm up

Captains Say. . .

What do we do? We ski uphill. And we have team dinners that go late into the night. We play intense lap tag, "Are you bleeding?", snow tag, and wear super hot spandex. We change in co-ed locker rooms and tackle one another during snowball fights. We practice at night and almost get frostbite. We make up dances and dress up for sprints. We yell "CSFU", "Norway", and "Hiya Hiya!"...even "we need more cowbell." Thanks for a wonderful season. Good luck next year! Love your captains, Meg Burkly, Maggi Lloyd, Ethan Siegal, Katie Kandub, and Charlie O'Brien.

Varsity Nordic Skiing Front Row: Meg Burkly, Coach Pat Garrison, Maggi Lloyd **Back Row:** Kid, Daniel Swartz, Isaac Bleicher, Ramsey Meigs, David Goldenberg, Ben Linsay, Lily Cosgrove, Aliza Edelstein, Alison Decker, Andrea Notopoulos, Tess Johnson, Jacob Levenfeld, Jessie Cobb, Joanna Shell, Rosa McElheny

Nordic Ski Team

Uphill Skiiers Have a Great Run

Arriving in Senior Jacob Levenfeld sails forward

Giddy glider Senior Maggi Lloyd is all smiles on the snow

Shifting poles Senior Ben Lindsay stays focused while working his way uphill

As usual, the skiers at North trained and raced their best during this winter. Although it seemed as though we had no winter, the ski team was very busy and dedicated to training and skiing daily at the Weston Ski Track during the weekdays and then traveling north to races on the weekends. Results were strong for both the boys' and girls' teams. League All Stars were David Goldenberg and Isaac Bleicher who tied for 3rd. Maggi Lloyd in a tie for 3rd, and Meg Burkly in a tie for 6th. On the boys team, we had 2 new freshmen join the team and add to our depth. They were Jason Luttmer and Sam Gant. Isaac Bleicher was named to the Massachusetts J2 ski team and traveled for the regional championships during March. Tess Johnson, a junior, placed 11th in the league. Charlie O'Brien and Ramsey Meigs placed 11th and 12th respectively.

Not forgetting anyone, we had a large team of racers who all may have just learned to nordic ski and race for the first year, or skiers returning and competing at their best levels.

For the league, the boys and girls placed 2nd, after Dover-Sherborn. Many seniors are graduating, but next year's team has a few new faces and skiers who are anxious to do well.

We have a good training schedule, a good group of captains and skiers who want to have fun. The next year's captains will be: Lily Cosgrove, Andrea Natopolous, Tess Johnson, David Goldenberg and Ramsey Meigs.

Pat Garrison, Coach, Newton North Nordic Ski Team

Dressed and ready Members of the Nordic Ski team huddle together dressed in wacky outfits. The skiiers sported leis, crowns, and polka dot shorts.

Cheerleading

Team Flies to High Rankings

Hands up Juniors Andrea Ng and Angelique Gobar lead a group of cheerleaders in giving a shoutout to the players during a varsity basketball game

Gametime gusto A group of girls perform a routine during a timeout

In focus Sophomores Harper Koye and Ashley Parsons watch the varsity game intently

Loosen up! Members of the Varsity Cheerleading squad stretch out before taking it to the parquet.

Uplifted Junior Andrea Ng gets tossed up into the air by her fellow cheerleaders during a halftime routine

As the season began after the Thanksgiving break, the spirits of the Newton North cheerleaders grew large with hopes and dreams. Though the winter season brought a smaller squad of cheerleaders, the strength and endurance of these athletes grew larger than that of our larger fall squad. Led by junior captains Olivia Kelly and Alina Saminsky, the team progressed to a fun-filled and thrilling season that finished with a thundering run for the Bay State Championship. All the members of the squad are key players for the Tiger cheerleaders. The Tigers were consistently high in the rankings for the entire year, but during the winter season they had a team of heart and determination. Though there were no victories or trophies for the winter squad, they had overcome many obstacles and proved that a small squad can be feared by many. Whether the tournaments were in our local area or as far away as Taunton, the turnout of fans and the volume of the student cheers proved that no other school has as much spirit or pride as Newton North. Not only did these squad members participate and practice for their own competitions and tournaments, they provided school spirit to every home basketball game and playoff tournament, home or away. The team's dedication, teamwork, and drive to succeed and improve created a cheerleading program that will compete strongly and grow for many years to come.

-Jessica Gillis, Winter Cheerleading Coach

Varsity Cheerleading Front Row: Andrea D'Amore, Olivia Kelly, Ali Saminsky, Madison Sutton **Middle Row:** Andrea Ng, Angelique Gobar, Ashley Parsons **Back Row:** Harper Kaye, Caroline Cooke, George the Tiger, Catherine Samellas, Mayra Laprida

Captains Say. . .

Thanks for a great season. We really made that perfect ten (LOL) and you guys tried really hard. We had a lot of fun at practice, making shirts, and creating our stunts. You guys are the best!

-Olivia Kelly and Ali Saminsky

Boys' Lacrosse

Boys Shape up and Prepare for Amazing Season

Consistency and execution are goals for the 2006 boys' lacrosse team. Coming off of a 12-8 record and the loss of 12 seniors, the Tigers face a rebuilding challenge. However the team returns with only 9 seniors, helping sprinkle leadership among a young, talented and athletic roster that coaches hope will build chemistry.

A core group of veteran players brings great attitude and work ethic to the team. Senior co-captain Brendan Rooney, Eastern Mass All Star and team leading scorer, has the ability to control the temp of the game and find the back of the net. He will be joined at attack with seniors Chris Boudreau and Alex MacKenzie, who will be responsible for generating the offense for the Tigers. Senior co-captain Nick Mastroianni will contribute leadership and experience at the midfield. Nick is a potent dodger with solid skills and a much improved shot.

Although the offense is thin, but balanced, the Tigers might be characterized by their experienced defense. Seniors Jack Hall and Max Abbott will anchor the defense with good size, speed, and a competitive, aggressive style of play. Junior Steve Jailet and Cal Gilmartin are two strong and steady athletes, who will provide depth on defense. The Tigers have a "good problem" with three goalies; Brian Padillo, Brendan Vaughan and Cookie Nicolazzo. All three possess quick feet and hands, and solid technical abilities. Freshmen Dan Szerlip, Mike Asaley and Sean Keefe will see action quickly and be utilized for their speed, endurance and natural talents.

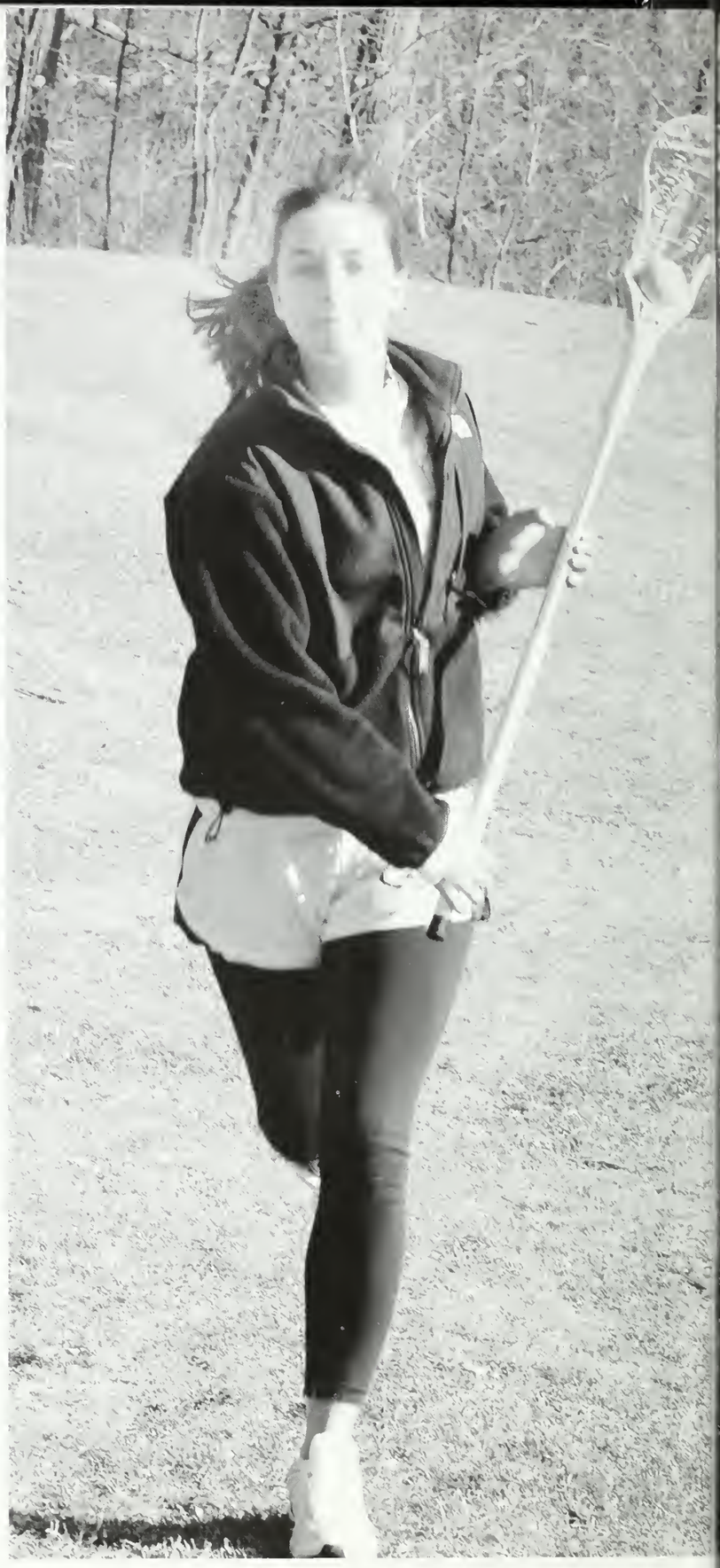
Poised To Strike Senior Dave Mathews gets ready to pass the ball along to a fellow player. **Gather 'Round** The boys' lacrosse team huddles for a team meeting. **Sticking To It** Senior Max Abbot runs up the sideline defending his team's goal.

Captain Says . . .

We lost a lot of great seniors last year but this year we are looking forward to having experienced returning players and some new talented players to take their place. The games we will compete in this season will come down to how much we want to succeed, and judging from a determined first week of practice, it is clear that we all are ready to play our best and be competitive. As a team, we will work hard to make the 2006 season a great one.

- Brendan Rooney and Nick Mastroianni

Practice hard! Senior Michelle Selke runs toward the goal during the spring tryouts. Most girls are used to playing in the warmth but with the chills this year at tryouts they were reduced to wearing leggings and layers! **The Big Cheese** Senior Courtney Hendrick grins wide while practicing for the tryouts. Keeping your energy up and being peppy even during the cold weather is important to all players. **I'm gonna win! I'm gonna win!!!** Senior Parvin Ghazion gets ready to catch the ball during tryouts. Her school spirit which won her the senior superlative "Most School Spirited"! carries out onto the field as well. Parvin can usually be found wearing orange and black. **Just laxin'** Members of the team put down their sticks to show off spring smiles.



Captains Say...

Girls' Lacrosse

Girls' Lacrosse Looks Forward to New Changes

This season of Girls' Lacrosse begins with a number of transitions. Like many other spring teams, lacrosse has lost seven seniors from last season and counts this season as a "rebuilding year." In addition, they have gained a new coach. Under the coaching of Kim Keefe, a former Freshman and JV coach at North, and thanks to the leadership of 13 seniors, the hard work and effort the team is putting into rebuilding should bring about much success.

The number of returning seniors makes for an experienced team that has the potential to go far this season. Teamwork will prove that the girls can communicate effectively on the field. Their offense looks very strong, and if utilized properly, it will be an important factor in their success.

Key players for the Tigers include All Stars senior Martha Ross and junior Sally Leung. In addition, junior Sam Gillies and senior co-captain Katie Glerum are expected to contribute greatly.

With emphasis placed on teamwork and clear communication on the field, the new season of lacrosse should be one filled with triumph.

Scoreboard

Wellesley	3/30/06
Brookline	4/4/06
Framingham	4/6/06
Norwood	4/11/06
Braintree	4/25/06
Walpole	4/27/06
Weymouth	5/1/06
Needham	5/3/06
Milton	5/5/06
Brookline	5/8/06
Framingham	5/10/06
Natick	5/12/06
Braintree	5/16/06
Hingham	5/19/06
Weymouth	5/22/06
Needham	5/24/06

After losing seven seniors and gaining a new coach, we are looking forward towards a transition year but we are filled with high hopes and expectations. Now is when we would love to throw in some really crazy inside jokes, but since preseason starts in a week, there aren't any yet! We would also like to mention our state championship win and the names of the 27 orphans we saved from the shipwrecked boat. So come on girls, let's have a great season and get a bunch of claps! Lacrosse, lacrosse, nothing but lacrosse....

Love your captains,
Courtney Hendrick and Katie Glerum

"Serve's Up!"

Boys Gear up for an Amazing Season

Captain Says . . .

Although we lack some depth to the team, we are lucky to receive a strong group of players. With hard work and a little luck we should be able to come out on top. We hope the season will be successful and triumphant.

-Aaron Kleefield

Prep Work Junior Will Andersen leaps up to address an oncoming ball from the other side of the court. **Over the net** sophomore David Lath jumps up to hit the ball back over the net to his practice partner. **Clear Vision** Protecting his glasses, sophomore Mike Wong makes the shot. **Water Break** Boys' Tennis team takes a break to get some water and relax before returning to practice. **15-Love** Junior Mike Green hits the ball underhand back to his practice partner. **Nice Lift** Senior Aaron Kleefield lobs the ball to the other side of the net, creating a high lift.

I am looking forward to the 2006 tennis season with great optimism and I feel that our team will be very competitive in our league and in the South section. We are a young team with only one starting senior, Aaron Kleefield, who is slated to play number 1 singles and is also team captain. Junior Will Andersen , junior Mike Greene and sophomore Mike Wang are returning from last year and are pre-season favorites to be part of the starting lineup this year. Wang was one of the best 9th graders in our league last year and he will be only better this year.

Our early goals for the team are to get very fit and have everyone push each other on the practice court to achieve the highest level of success when the league matches begin. We have a core group of guys who work hard in the off season and that level of desire should have an impact on the rest of the team.. When all is said and done, I expect the 2006 Boy's Tennis team to be one of most physically and mentally prepared teams in recent memory.

Phil Goldberg, Varsity Boy's Tennis Coach

Causing a Raquet

Girls' Tennis is Prepped and Ready to Swing

The defending South Sectional Champions will have a lot of work ahead of them, as a significant portion of the team was lost to graduation. This year's team is made up of ten returning players led by senior co-captains Ali Horwitz and Hilana Bernheimer. There are seven additional new players to the team this year.

It is a young team with great potential. Both coaches Carolyn Fertig and John Gautschi are looking forward to developing the players. The team is going to have to work hard, but they are confident that they can fill the spots and have another successful season.

-- *John Gautschi, Varsity Coach*

Captains Say . . .

Although we lost a lot of last year's team, we are lucky to have a great team of strong returning players and many newcomers who show great potential. This looks like it is going to be a year of fun, spirit, and team unity. We will be working hard to meet the high standard we set last season.
-Hilana Bernheimer and Ali Horowitz

In the Lineup Junior Katy Wong waits in line with the rest of the team to practice her serve with the coach. **Getting to Know You** Members of the team line up with the pairs and talk before practice starts to get to know each other better. **Awaiting a swing** Junior Margo Ford who has played tennis nationwide is a skilled member of the girls' tennis team. **Three Times the Competition** Junior Alison McQuown, senior Ali Horwitz and junior Lily Li practice on the courts during try-outs. **Just barely got it!** Sophomore Mina Manolova reaches out for the ball to slam it back to the other court. **Keeping Hydrated** Ready for a water break junior Lilly Li rushes over to the side of the court. **Over the Fence** Senior Hilana Berheimer delivers a serve that goes onto the other courts.

Baseball

Returning Seniors Excited for Start of Season

This year's edition of the Newton North baseball team looks to continue the success of last year's team. With the return of 10 Varsity Letterwinners, this team should be very competitive in the always tough Bay State Conference.

Lead by captains J.T. Ross, Sam Shaugnessy, and James Greely the team will feature solid starting pitching and a veteran infield. Questions which need to be answered as the season progresses include relief pitching and consistent hitting at the end of the order. This team will provide exciting baseball this spring for the Tiger Baseball fans.

Captain Says . . .

This year's team is senior-laden and will look to its talent and experience in order to succeed. We have to take it one game at a time, one inning at a time, one pitch at a time. With a lineup full of returning starters both on the mound and in the field, the team is looking toward a strong year. Our younger players will provide support in a bunch of different capacities and we've got to win practice.

- Sam Shaughnessy, J.T. Ross, and James Greeley

Load 'Em In Senior Phil Keefe loads the baseballs into the pitching machine. **Listen Up** Team members wait to play while Coach Sidiana delivers a beginning of the season speech. **Fast Ball Coming Up** Senior J.T. Ross is caught mid-swing during a practice in the S.O.A. **Batter Up!** Senior James Greely waits for the ball at third plate.

Hit the Glove Hard

Softball team gears up for a strike-out season

The 2006 Girls' softball team has been formed and we are excited to get the season underway. Five returning seniors and a group of talented underclassmen make the season look promising for the Tigers. Seniors Sasha Greenberg, Rachel Krasnow, and Katelan Young who will help patrol the outfield, second baseman Emily Praia, who will help to anchor the infield, and pitcher Alex Sera are all key members to the team.

Scoreboard

◎ Wellesley	4/7/06
◎ Brookline	4/10/06
◎ Waltham	4/12/06
◎ Salem	4/19/06
Framingham	4/24/06
Narwood	4/26/06
◎ Brointree	4/27/06
Walpole	5/1/06
Weymouth	5/3/06
◎ Needham	5/5/06
Newtan Sauth	5/6/06
◎ Milton	5/8/06
Braakline	5/10/06
◎ Framingham	5/12/06
Notick	5/15/06
Braintree	5/17/06
◎ Dedham	5/18/06
Woburn	5/20/06
◎ Weymouth	5/22/06
Needham	5/24/06

Angel in the outfield Senior Emily Praia stays in her position in the outfield. **Caught up** Junior Jillian Zeller prepares to catch a pitch. **Soaring to new heights** Senior Katelan Young throws the balls back to home for an out. **Swinging 'round the bend** Senior pitcher Alex Sera is caught mid-pitch during practice. **Team photo** *Top Row* Junior Kayla Donohue, senior Sasha Greenberg, sophomore Rachel Magid, sophomore Teresa Staulo, junior Sarah Berkland, junior Danielle Howard, senior Alex Sera, senior Rachel Krasnow, Coach Lauren Baugher. *Bottow Row* Freshman Allison Clott, sophomore Alanna Ohanian, sophomore Meigan Young, senior Emily Proia, senior Katelan Young, junior Jillian Zeller, and freshman Danielle Doherty.

Seniors Say . . .

Hey Girls-

High school softball is something that none of us will ever forget. Through all of your hard work at practice, giving your all at each game, and all the fun we had at team dinners, the trip to the Cape and just being together. Thank you for making our last softball season memorable!

Love, *Alex, Emily, Katelan, Sasha, and Rach*

One lap left Hopefuls for the Newton North Outdoor Track team warm up before tryouts. **Who will pull ahead?** Sophomore Rojay Wagner, juniors Peter Sun and Josh Dohlben sprint past each other. **Right behind you!** Freshmen Jared Fareman, Dan Hamilton, and John Scorzelli get really close going around a turn. **What about my hair?** Freshman Doug Loken and junior James Shapiro take their last lap around the track.

Scoreboard

Braintree	4/7/06
@ Natick	4/11/06
Framingham	4/25/06
@ Brookline	4/27/06
Weymouth	5/2/06
Walpole	5/4/05
@ Needham	5/9/06

Lane Lines

Boys' Track Sprints Toward the Start of the Season

The Boy's Track Team will be looking to defend its state championship title from 2005. It will be a tough task given the loss of great athletes like Jed Carpenter, Chris Barnicle, Kyle Greenidge, and others. But the leadership of David Polgar, Nick Van Niel, and Noah Jampol will contribute much to achieving that goal.

Sprinters Cailean Robinson, Gordon Forbes, Anthony Ambrosi, and Khalel Pritchard will make up an outstanding 4x100 relay. Avery Mitchell will anchor our 4x400 relay, and David Polgar, Seb Putzeys, Peter Sun, and Noah Jampol will make up the 4x800 relay. These relays are the key to defending our crown.

David Smith is one of the state's best in both the shot put and the discus. Marvin Chan and Anthony Ambrosi are also strong in the throws. Nick Van Niel and Elliot Gill should excel in the triple jump, and Khalel Pritchard is our top long jumper. The hurdle team consists of Nick Van Niel, Shane Lyons, Gabe Feinberg, and Ira Berman. Our top 2-miler Doug Brecher is looking to be among the state's best again this year. After an outstanding indoor season, Seb Putzeys also looks to be in the top group of milers in the state.

On paper we could have another great season, but the competition will be tougher in our league with Brookline having improved much over last year.

James Blackburn, Varsity Boys' Outdoor Track coach

Captain Says . . .

The outdoor track season looks to be promising! Key members include seniors Anthony Ambrosi, Ira Berman, "the technician," juniors Gordon Forbes, Avery Mitchel, "Weezy," and Cailean Robinson, sophomore Adam Bao. The team looks forward to a promising season against our Bay State rivals. Some of our favoirte team quotes are 'you got it,' 'let's go,' and 'knees up.' It's going to be a great season if we keep up the motivation.
- Nick Van Neil, Noah Jampol and David Polgar.

Forward motion Classmates Rebecca King, Jessie Rubin, and Julie Blanchard warm up. The seniors are hoping to have a great last season of track.

Hop, skip, jump Seniors Meg Burkly, Jessie Cobb, and Szeman Lam warm up inside the SOA. They practice here and on the outdoor track.

In sync Seniors Maria Aissa de Figuereda, Jackie Faneuil, and Leah Weisman jog along together. Faneuil and Weisman are two of the four captains.

This outdoor season we have a young team with a good amount of raw talent. Our biggest challenge will be grooming this talent to compete well during our irritatingly tight schedule. With a series of meets all bunched together in the middle of the season, we need to drill the necessary skills early while we have the practice time. If every athlete focuses on getting as many personal records as they can, we will be right up there with the best in the state by season's end.

Captains Say. . .

From track to track, the Tigers are the mack. In all kinds of weather, we stick together. We throw, we jump, we run. But most of all, we just have fun. We win lots of meets and eat lots of sweets. Thanks for an AMAZING season.
Love, your captains
-Leah Weisman, Jackie Faneuil, Becca King, and Meg Burkly

Scoreboard

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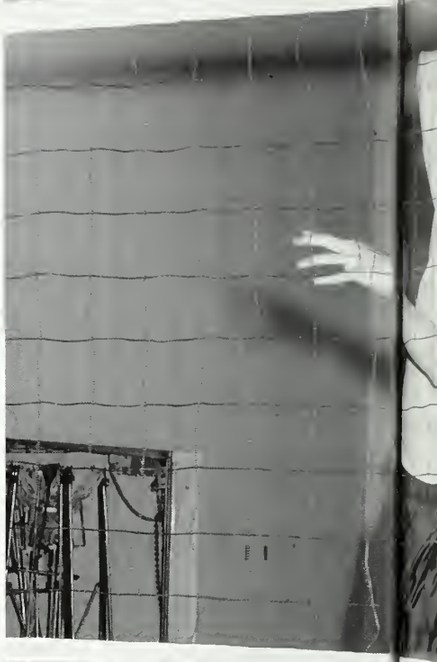
Girls' Track

Outdoors at last and lovin' it!

ovial joggers Beaming seniors Becca King and Jessie Rubin lead the Girls' Track team on a warm up sprint around the S.O.A.

Boys' Volleyball

Boys Volleyball Sets Up for a Great Season



Seniors Say. . .

We would like to thank everyone on the team for coming out and facing injury, and even death, each day of our season. We would also like to thank Rich for his expertise, and for his devotion to this exciting and powerful sport.
-Seniors

Scoreboard

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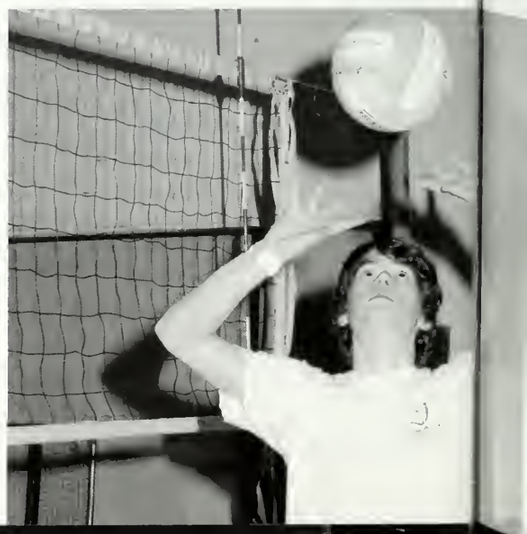


Out in front Senior Craig Chin stays focused while he practices bumping. **Smash hit** Senior Ben Goldstein fires the ball over the net. Goldstein will be an important player during the upcoming season. **Palms up** Senior Sam Cohen boosts the ball up and over. **Tipped over** Senior Josh Nathan jumps off the ground in an attempt to slip the ball over the net. **Crash landing** Senior Kevin Ho yells to teammates to get their attention on his upcoming bump.

The 2006 season promises to be one of the most adventurous in decades! The core of last year's powerhouse is off to college, and the remaining Tigers are motivated and hungry. Senior leadership, strong play by last year's JV players, and vital contributions from athletes new to the program will contribute to our quest to remain one of the strongest teams in Massachusetts.

Richard Barton, Boys' Varsity Volleyball Coach

Look at Me!

Around Town

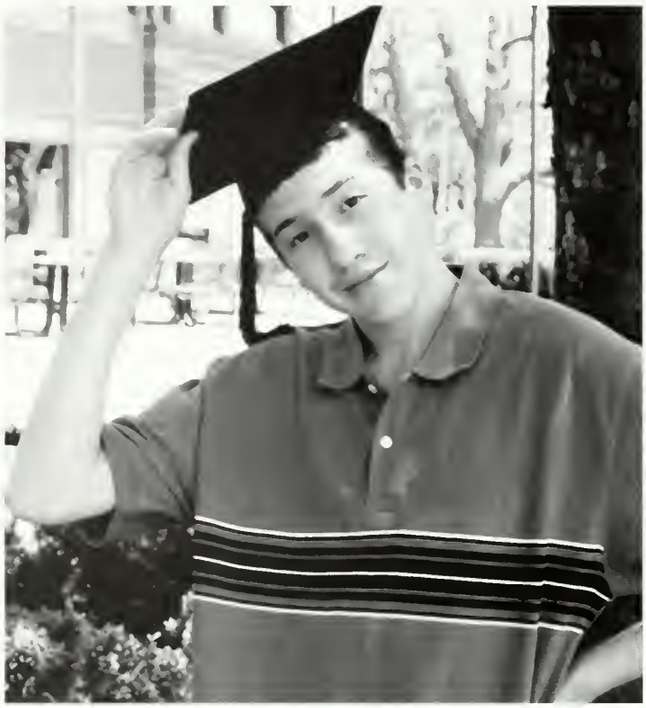
Community

While you flip through the next few pages, some of you may be thinking, "Look at Me!!!!!" That is exactly what your parents, your friends, your teammates and local businesses want you to be thinking. Every citizen on this side of Newton is connected to North in one way or another. From adults who take community education at night, to businesses that keep many of North's various teams and clubs running, people outside of Newton North play a vital role in what goes on inside our red brick walls. Not only do others interact with North, but our students also interact with the outside community. Whether it's going out for a quick slice in Newtonville, or volunteering as a peer tutor at Cabot Elementary, all North students play vital roles in the community surrounding our school. We invite you to take the time to look at your peers, friends, colleagues, and teachers. Enjoy!!!

Mike Kirby

MIKE KIRBY

Congratulations on all of your achievements, Mike.
We are very proud of you!



Love, Ema, Aba, Yoni and Dani

Michael Huberman

Mike, it seems like only yesterday. . . Congratulations on your graduation from Newton North!

We love you,
Mom, Dad, Jeff and Maggie

Rachel Lichtenstein Goldin

Birth to High School Graduation

You have grown into a smart, funny, articulate, and talented woman.

The Future

We can't wait to see what you accomplish next.

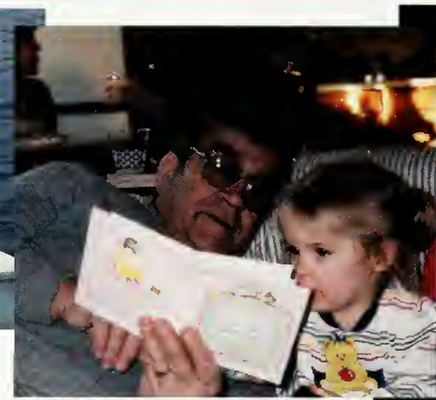
Mandy Lyne

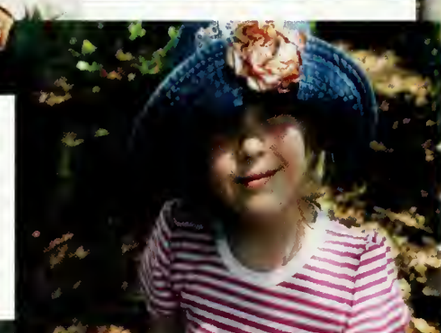
Mandy -- to the moon and back
and a million times more. . .

Love from
Mom, Dad, Hilary and Sarah

Congratulations to our graduate and to the class of 2006

Abby Elizabeth Ryan





Congratulations

Abby Elizabeth Ryan
I am so very, very proud of you!

love , Mumma

Erin Hannah

Erin Hannah,

CONGRATULATIONS!

You have always been
a bundle of perpetual motion.

Your energy is endless,
your mind is unbounded,
and you are extraordinarily creative.

We are so very proud of you
as you leap to new adventures and…

DO IT YOUR WAY!

With loads of love,
Mom, Dad, Alison and Jack

Ryan Naugler

Believe in miracles Ryan,
because you are our miracle!
We love you
1, 2, 3
Mom, Dad, Danielle,
Michael, Mary and Jane

Nick Throop

Congratulations Nick!

you're of the box!

Tori Gwin

Live Well, Laugh Often, Love Much and Sing & Dance From Your Heart!

We love you, Tori and are so very proud of you.
Mom. Dad. Darren.

Anna Cohen

Congratulations, Anna! We're so proud of you and all you've accomplished!
Love, Mom, Rog, and Alex

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Jonathan Kalow

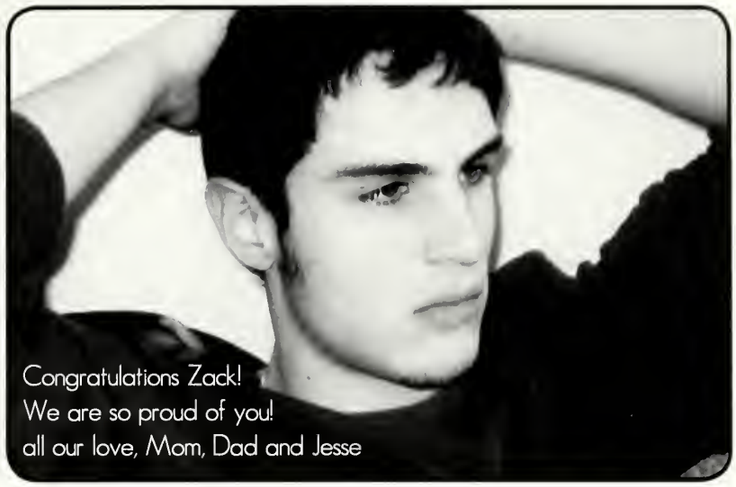
Cleared For Takeoff!

Congratulations Jon, and may you realize your flights of fancy.

Love, Mom, Dad, Julia and Jared

Bobby Broderick

CONGRATULATIONS, BOBBY ON A GREAT 4 YEARS AT NORTH!
BEST WISHES AT JOHNSON & WALES!
WITH LOVE FROM ALL THE BRODERICKS
Dad, Mom, Nellie, Brady, Grandma, Susan, Tom, Matt, Andrew, Meghan, Beth, Ed, Brian, Jessie, Michael, Saranne, Hannah, Haley, Zack, Jane, Todd, Sarah, Will, Helen, Stan, Joe, Sam, Meg, Dave, Isabelle, Jeffrey, John, Jim, Kathy, Sydney, and Kate


Congratulations Zack!
We are so proud of you!
all our love, Mom, Dad and Jesse

Simon Penni

Simon

Watching you grow is a joy and inspiration. We are so proud of you!

Love
Dinny, Jay
Lovie and Chella

Tori Payne

Congratulations
Tori

WE LOVE YOU!!!!!!

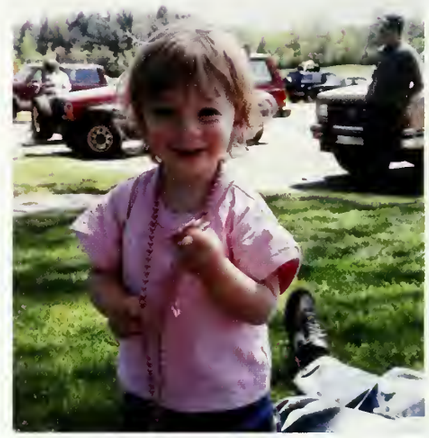
Mom, Dad and Harry

Brendan Rooney

You have always shown excitement and pride in everything you do. Keep up the great work.
We are proud of you.
Love,

Dad, Mom, Sean, Ryan, & Bo

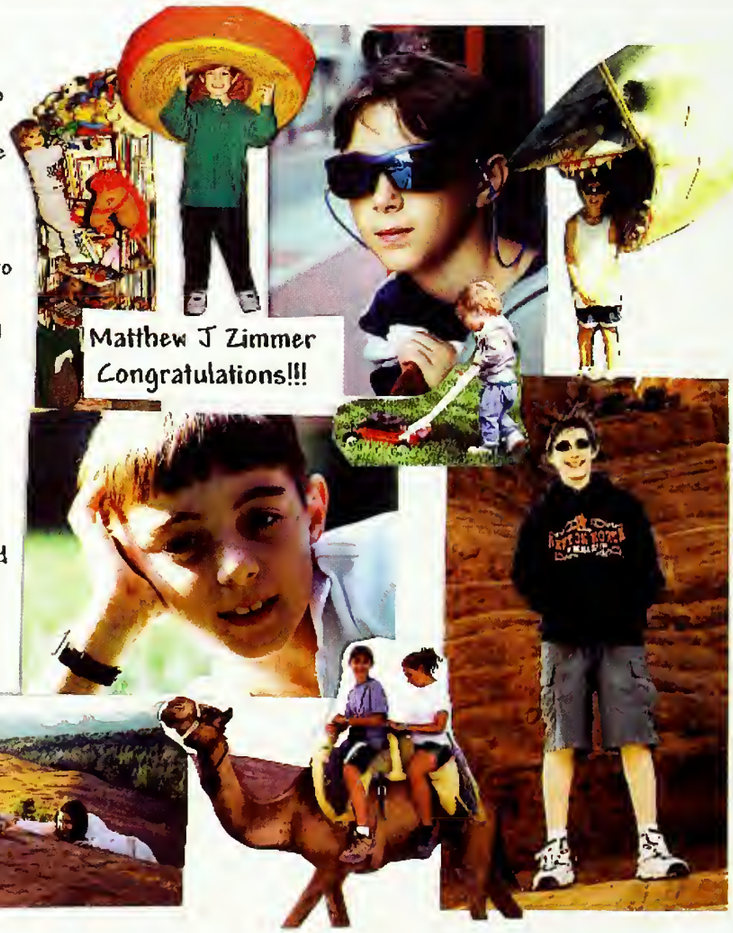
Alison Nichols



Congratulations Allie!
With all of our love,
Mom, Dad and Laura

With a helping hand
along the way,
You've worked hard to
get your say.
When away from home
you've flown,
We know you'll soar
high on your own.
You'll climb your way to
the top,
And you'll keep going
and never stop.
Have great fun,
As you reach for the
sun.
We know you'll work
hard and enjoy all
the plots,
You're a great kid and
we love you lots!!!

Mommy, Scott,
Sara & Adam



Good Luck
Buona Fortuna
Buena Suerte
Boa sorte
Bonne chance
Viel Glueck
好運氣
행운을 빕니다
祝好运
Καλή τύχη
Хорошее Везение
Mazel Tov

Congratulations to the graduating class of 2006

SCIMITAR EQUITY RESEARCH

Melody Lun

Mel,
Congratulations for jobs well done, and,
Hats Off for your perseverance and determination to achieve your goals, from managing to button your own clothes and tie your own shoelaces at two years old to winning the piano competitions and many academic excellencies throughout the years. Above all, you are a joy to have in the family.

Love always,
Calvin, Mom and Dad,
Spot and Dot.

Charlie Mokrisky

CHARLIE---
congratulations for all of your accomplishments so far. We know you will continue on an exciting path. We are very proud of you.

all our love
Mom, Dad, and David

Congratulations to the NNHS Class of 2006

Deena Kimmel

Deena -
You stand out in so many ways...

An outstanding future lies ahead for you. CONGRATULATIONS!
We are so proud of you!
Love - Mom, Dad & Shelby

Kyle Gosson

"Congratulations! You have always brought us so much joy and we are so very proud of you!"

"You are the best big brother--what will I do without you next year?"

"Be happy! All our love"--
Dad, Mom & Sarah

Emily Gittes

Em -

You've brought tremendous happiness and joy into all of our lives. We know that your mother is proud of you and wishes she could be here. We look forward to sharing your bright and shining future. Your opportunities are endless. Keep singing and make sure that you share your beautiful voice with others.

We thank you very much.

Aunt Marcia, Uncle Danny, Grandma, Grandpa, Jess, Aaron, Josh, Lauren & Chloe

Delana DiCastro

Congratulations, Delana.

All the late nights and early morning wake-ups are truly part of being a senior. You have risen to the occasion and on behalf of the whole family we are proud of you. Keep up all the good work when you enter college and surely you'll succeed.

Love from your whole family

P.S. Congratulations, Delana and looking forward to next year.
Love, Matt

Becca Stahl

Becca

Congratulations! You have made us so proud with your spirit and determination. You will be a success in all that you do!

Love, Kisses, Hugs and the wish for all of your dreams to come true!
Mom & Evan
Dad & Karen
Papa, Grandma & Grandpa

Caitlin McGee and Michaela Yule

Caitlin and Michaela...
We've loved watching you grow up together, best of friends through a decade of adventures.
Congratulations and here's to your best journeying still to come.
Love, Hetty, Chris, Alex, Joan & John

CONGRATULATIONS AND GOOD LUCK TO THE TIGERS OF 2006

From your principal,
Jennifer Huntington

Katherine E. Valles

Dear Katherine,
Congratulatons on a job well done. Best wishes on the road ahead. May you have many new adventures, make new friends and have many great experiences!
Love, Dad, Mom, Sean, John Paul, Julie, Alexis, Alyssa, Angel, Yoly, and Chloe

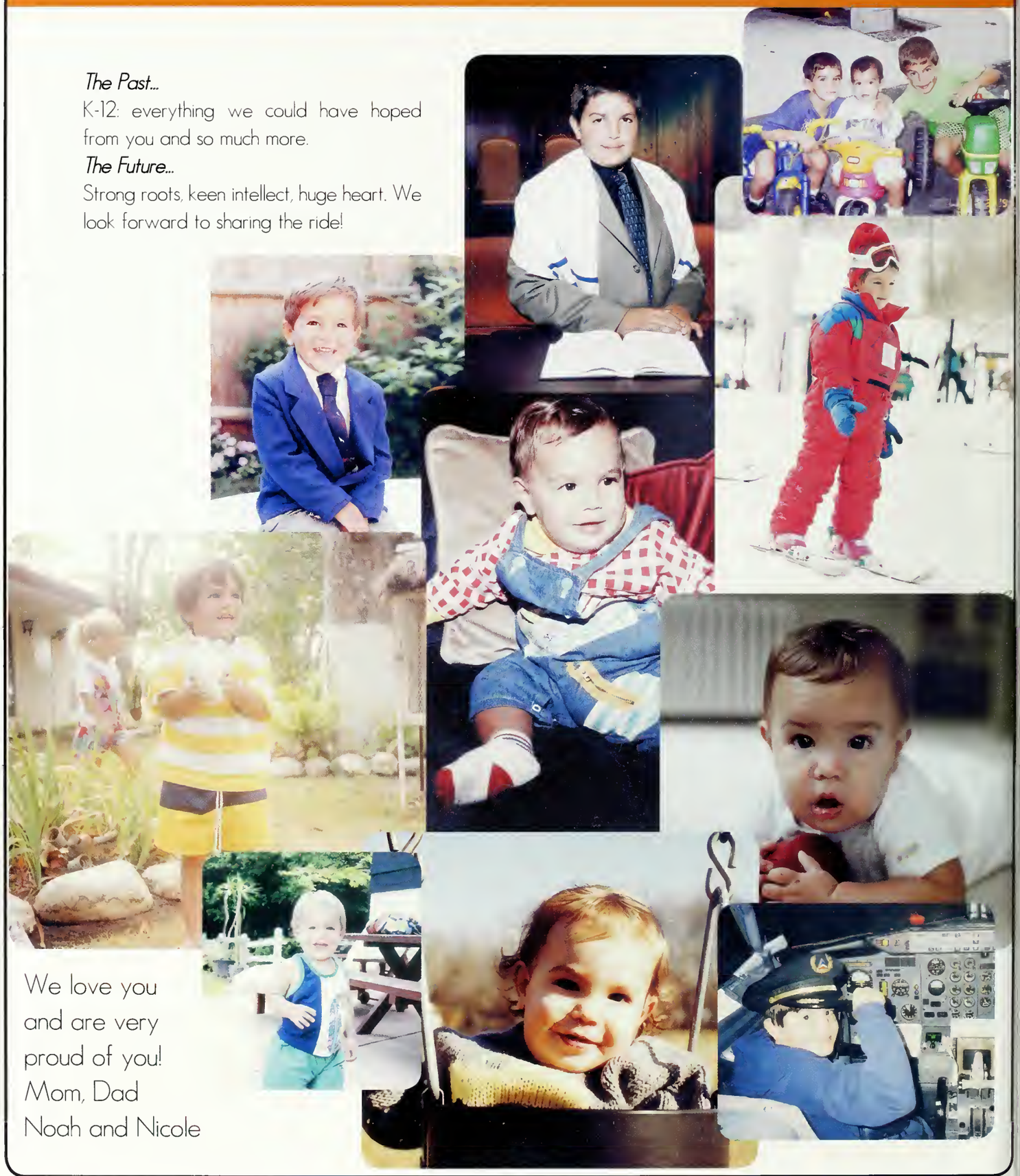
LOOK OUT COLUMBIA!!!
BASSMAN IS COMING TO NYC

CONGRATULATIONS!!!
MOM, DAD AND NATALIE

Brian
Lisa
Mike
Nikita
" A part of you has grown in me.
And so you see, it's you and me
together forever and never apart
maybe in distance but never in heart."
Parv
Paula
Rebz
Ricky

Ely Goldberg

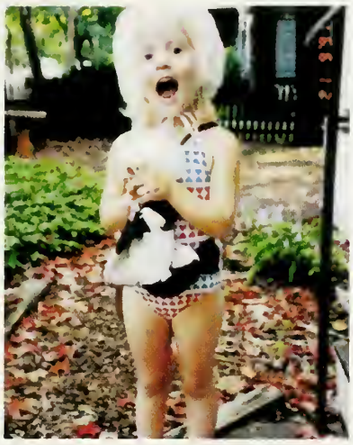
The Past...
K-12: everything we could have hoped from you and so much more.
The Future...
Strong roots, keen intellect, huge heart. We look forward to sharing the ride!



We love you
and are very
proud of you!
Mom, Dad
Noah and Nicole

Alaine Norcross

Always an Actress



Alaine
Marie
Norcross

May you sing for all and forever!
We love you Mom and Dad

Brooke Butera

Brooke: You have become a beautiful
Young lady and we want
You to know how proud we
are of you. All our Love:
Dad, Mom, Brittany, Brad &
Brianne

Sarah Levy

Sarah-
You light up our lives with your smile and your laughter.
CONGRATULATIONS
on all your achievements.
We are all so proud of you for all that you have accomplished and for who you are.
We love you very much,
Mom, Dad, Jared & Ben

Liana Goncalves

Liana,

You have made us so proud of you

You are so sweet and the best daughter a parent could ask for. We wish you all the best in your life ahead, may health happiness and success go your way. We are all so proud of you. Love always, Mom, Dad, Mario, Lino

John Chilingerian

From your first day of school, you have made us so proud!
Congratulations!
Love, Mom, Dad, Christine and Savvy

Colette Duffy

All Grown Up??

Now, Can I have my credit card back??

We are proud of you.

Love Mom, Dad, Jimmy and Jen

In Boca Lupo!

Brian Bannon

We wish for you,
the happiest things in life.

Congratulations

Love,
Mom, Dad, & Tommy

Elizabeth Bilotta

Dear Liz,

As your dreams unfold, may your life be filled with all the love, humor, beauty and kindness you have given us through the years. We are so proud of what you have accomplished and the wonderful person you are.

With all our love,
Mom, Dad, Luisa, Julia and Maria

Anna Ziskend

Anna,

Congratulations! You are our pride and joy. Your enthusiastic and loving nature will carry you throughout life's journey. Fulfill your dreams and make the world a better place.

With Love,
Mom, Dad and Herbie

John Schindler

Congratulations &
keep smiling!
Love, Mom, and Hannah

Emilee Doherty

Emilee,

From the day you were born you've brought nothing but Joy into our lives. We are so proud of the amazing young lady you've become. Your beautiful smile and sparkle in your eyes come from all the love you carry in your heart. You have touched many lives with your love, determination and compassion and these attributes will bring you success to your future.

You are so special to us!

With Love and Pride,
Mommy, Daddy, Ryan, Danielle, and Mikey

Jessie Rogan

Your love is contagious,
And so is your smile,
To the greatest daughter, sister, and friend
We're so proud of you!
We love you,
Mom, Dad, Michael, Nana, and Jake

Three Peas in a Pod

Jessie, Alice, Anna
You're the Best
We Love You!

Bristian
Alison
Bailey
REAL
CLASSIC.
snap
SNAP
footwear
Ciao, Bella!
explore
dream
discover
and
Remember
Wishing
you the
best,
from your
proud and
loving
parents
tradition
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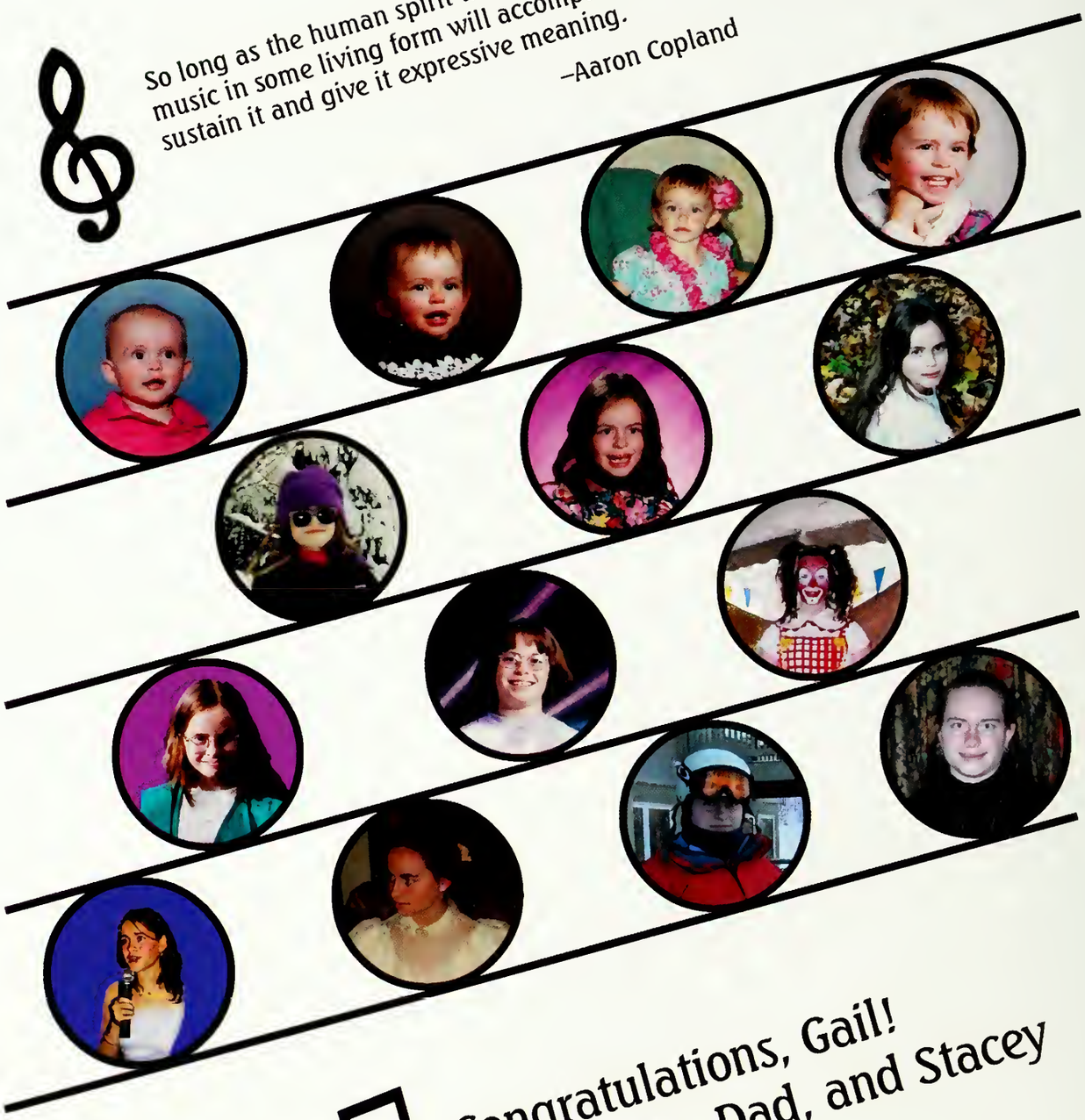
Gail Terman

So long as the human spirit thrives on this planet, music in some living form will accompany and sustain it and give it expressive meaning.

–Aaron Copland



Congratulations, Gail!
Love, Mom, Dad, and Stacey

Meng Lu

Congratulations, Meng!

You always overcome the barriers of life as you did in this picture.

We are proud of you as our daughter.

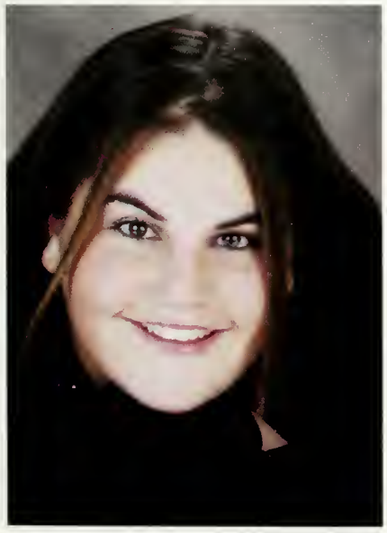
Your Parents of 2006

Jenn Sherman

Do not go where the path may be lead, go instead
where there is no path and leave a trail --
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Jenn, you have a beautiful and creative spirit that we know will always make your explorations exciting and your destinations fascinating! We love you forever and for always --
Mom, Dad, Rach and Jules

Parvin Ghazian



I hope your dreams take you to the corners of your smiles, to the highest of your hopes, to the windows of your opportunities, and to the most special places your heart has ever known
I'm So Proud Of You
Love Mom

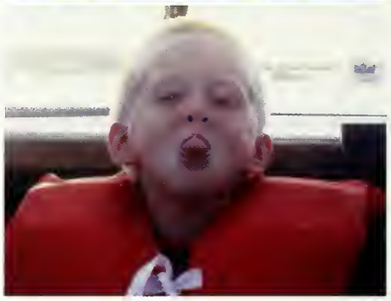
Jackie Faneuil & Stephanie Kaplan

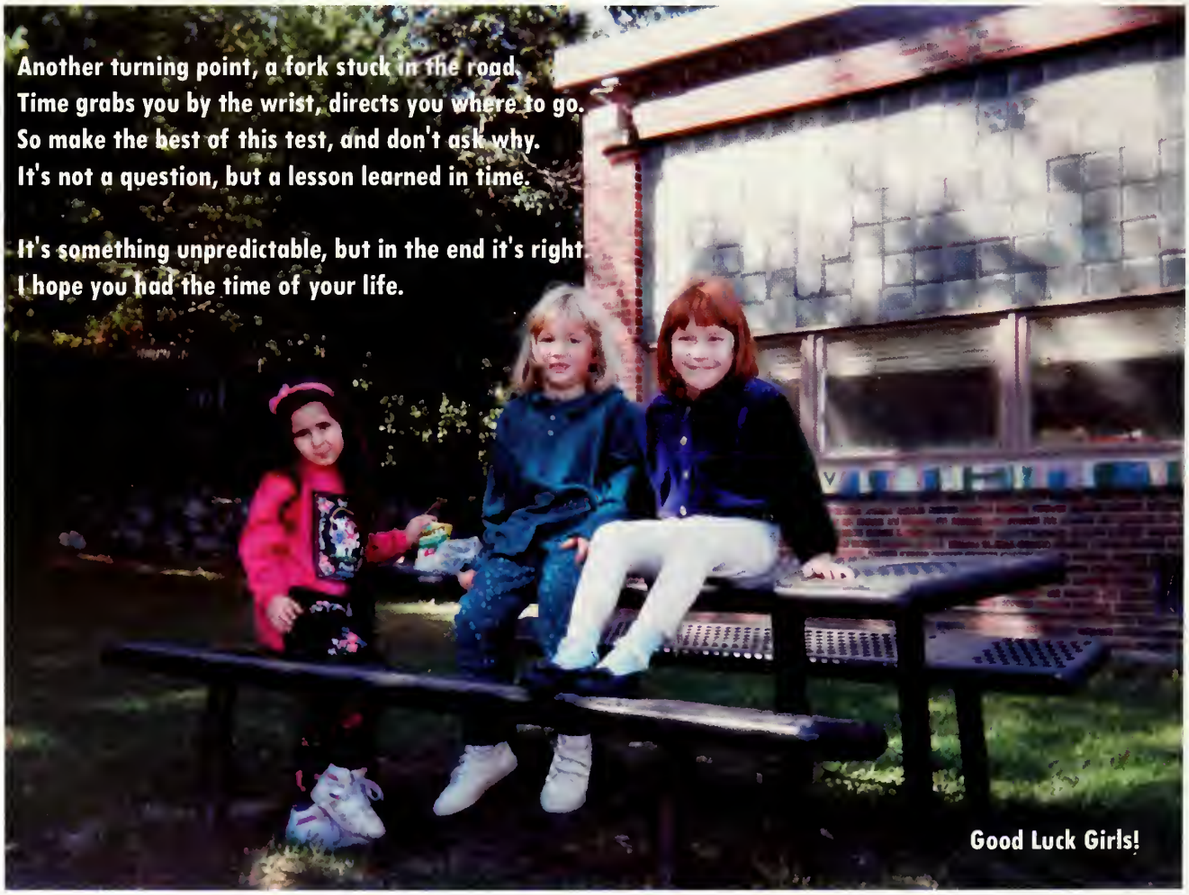
Jackie and Stephanie

Best Friends Forever!

Ryan Walsh

Changes may take place
But time can't change you! We love you just the way you are!
Love,
Dad, Mom,
Stevie & Mikey





Brett N. McLean

It seems like only a few years have passed since you entered Kindergarten at Horace Mann, Day Middle School came even faster, your time at Newton North was just a blur, wishing you great success in the future.
All My Love, DAD

To My Son,
I Love You
I feel so fortunate to have you for a son.
Son you have brought so much joy to me and the family!
Always believe in the things you do; stand proud and strong.
Remember all the swim meets!
Best of all remember the Boston to Newton trips we shared LOL.
You are my adored son,
I am so proud of you!
All My Love, MOM

Michelle Coughlin

You will always be our
pretty, pretty princess!

May all your dreams come true!

Love always,
Mom, Dad, Patrick, Stephanie,
Nana & Papa ♥

Katie Glerum

Katie:

Always stay true to yourself and follow your dreams! We love you and are very proud of you.

Mom, Dad and Ben

Lori Cassorla

. . .and the good things in life are waiting for you . . .

Congratulations!
With love and pride,
Mom, Dad and
Michelle

Steve Romm

(Mr. Personality)

- Keep on Smiling,
- Keep on Laughing,
- Keep on Being YOU!

We are Extremely Proud of You and Will Always Love You!

Mom, Dad and David

Congratulations!

Alexander Joseph MacKenzie

Where are you going my little one, little one
Where are you going my baby, my own
Turn around and you're two, turn around and you're four
Turn around and you're a young man going out of the door

Love, Mom, Dad, Amanda, and James.

Adeline Mullin

Congratulations
Addie!

We love you!
Love,
Mom, Dad and
Jenny

Dana Catrambone

Congratulations!
We are so proud of you. You have brought us much happiness.
Our love,
Mom, Dad and Rae

Mag Sangiolo

Magdalen,
It's been a joy to watch you grow and change, but somethings stay the same like our love for you and your unique sense of style!
Love, Mom, Dad, Michaella, John

Julie Blanchard

Congratulations!
We are so proud of you!
Be happy and have fun out there
All our love,
Mom, Dad, and Stephanie

Sarah Crowley

Sarah Jane
Don't Get Into Anything You Can't Get Out Of

Congratulations and love:

Mom, Dad, and Meagan

Michael Kates

Since you were little, you have lightened up our lives With Music, Theater, your great sense of humor and your wonderful School Spirit! You are an amazing Big Brother and the most loving and caring son! We are so proud of you! We love you very much!
Mom, Dad, Jen and Spencer!

Eddie Vachon and Jason Riffe

Matthew Penta

MATTHEW,
BELIEVE IN YOURSELF
AND FOLLOW YOUR HEART
IT IS THE ONLY WAY TO
ACHIEVE TRUE HAPPINESS!

SMILE & BE HAPPY!

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU!

CONGRATULATIONS!

LOVE YOU, MOM, DAD, MICHAEL,
JUNE & JOE

Jonathan Jaffee-Anechiaro

"All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players. They have their exits and their entrances, and one man in his time plays many parts -- William Shakespeare

Jonathan Jaffee-Anechiarico

You have indeed played many parts – performer, actor, singer, songwriter, director, historian, good friend, son & brother...

May the journey ahead be filled with many good parts...

CONGRATULATIONS !
We love you!
Mom, Dad, Ashley & Oliver

Rachel Cali Wilson

Dear Rachel,

Congratulations!
Every day you bring sunshine to our lives. Your strength, creativity, independence, courage and caring of others never cease to amaze us.
We are so proud of you.
With all our love,
Mom and Dad

Friends of Kassia Davis

I Love You Girls!
Sorry I couldn't spend
my last year with you.
Good luck next year,
I know you'll do great!
Love, Kash

Amanda Hackel

My beautiful little Boo-Boo

Go confidently in the direction of your dreams!
Live the life you've imagined.
Thoreau

I am so proud of you!
ox Mom ox

Taryn Caruso

CONGRATULATIONS

TARYN

The world is yours to be what ever you want to be

We are so very,very proud of you

Love...xxxooo...Mom and Dad

Geoffrey Kehlmann & Samantha Berman

SAMANTHA AND GEOFFREY,

It has been such a joy watching the two of you grow up as neighbors and friends, from crossing the street for a sleepover to international travel.

Congratulations on your high school graduation and best wishes for wonderful and magical journeys ahead!

Lots of Love,
Beverly², Glenn, Mel, Allie, Matt, Jenny, Casey

Danielle Jakob

Danielle, your zest for life is only one of the many things that make you special and specially loved by so many. . .you're a talented young woman with a bright future. Congratulations on your graduation, with lots of love from Mom, Dad and Josh

Jesse Creedy-Powers

Congratulations Jesse,
We are so proud of you! Always remember to reach for the stars.
Love,
Mom, Dad and Nick

Michele Barbone

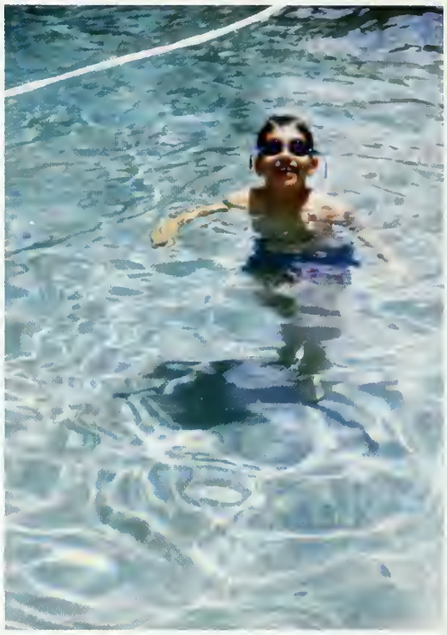
CONGRATULATIONS MICHELE
ANY GOAL IS WITHIN YOUR REACH!

LOVE MOM, MARCO, MICHAEL, KNIGHT AND ROOK

Sarah Schlegel

Congratulations Sarah
You add color to our lives!
Love,
Mom, Dad and Dana

Jason Cohen



Dear Jason,
All our hard work will take you far! We are so proud of you.
Love,
Mom, Dad and Alyssa

Alison Amira

Alison,
You will always be our little bunny.

The inches we need are
everywhere around us.
Grab life by the yard !

Congratulations,
Mom, Dad and Karyn

Jessica Walsh

Congratulations, grad!
2006

We knew you would do it well. Bravo! We wish you joy, peace and many successes! Love, Mom, Dad, Gregg, Rosie, Mindle, Lily, Gigi, Who-Who and the Whooligans

Sam

Char

Lori

Jessica

Danielle

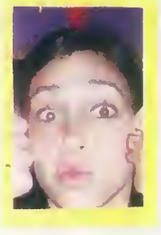
FRIENDS FOR A LIFETIME

ALLIE

MARTHA

Caroline

Shana



Michaela

Julia Cohen

Julia
You are the jelly in our sandwich! We love you and are so proud of you today and always. Stay who you are and all good things will come to you.

All our love,

Dad, Mom, Rachael, Emily, and Sammy

John "Jack" Hall

Cheers!

Jack, here's to your future!
Love mum, dad, Ellie and Annie

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Emily Proia

Emily ~

We'll love you forever,
We'll like you for always,
As long as we're living
Our baby you'll be.

Congratulations, Babe!
You fill our hearts with pride and joy ~
We wish you much happiness, love and success!

With all our love,
Mom, Dad, Nicholas and Michael

Emma Silverman

Applause for a job well done. We love you. Mom, Dad, Molly (BFFL), Alex, Grandma and Grandpa

Kevin Michael Ho

We are so very proud of all your accomplishments and what you've become. Congratulations to you and the Class of 2006!

Love,
Mom, Dad and Ryan

"A best friend is someone whom you know inside and out, not because she has told you her life story, but because you have been sitting right next to her the whole time."
The Twins
To Kaele and Courtney
With Love,
Mark, Linda
and Lyssa
Marjie, Peter,
PJ, and Mia

ANTYA WAEGEMANN

Dearest Antya, I love you so much and I am so proud of you for all that you have accomplished! You mean the world to me. I'm so excited for you as you begin a new chapter of your life! Congratulations!
Love, Christa

Antya,
Congratulations! Valerie and I wish you the very best. I hope when you occasionally glance back, as you move forward in life, you will see so many things are unimportant in comparison to what is inside of you. Best of Luck! Love, Your brother Marc and Valerie.

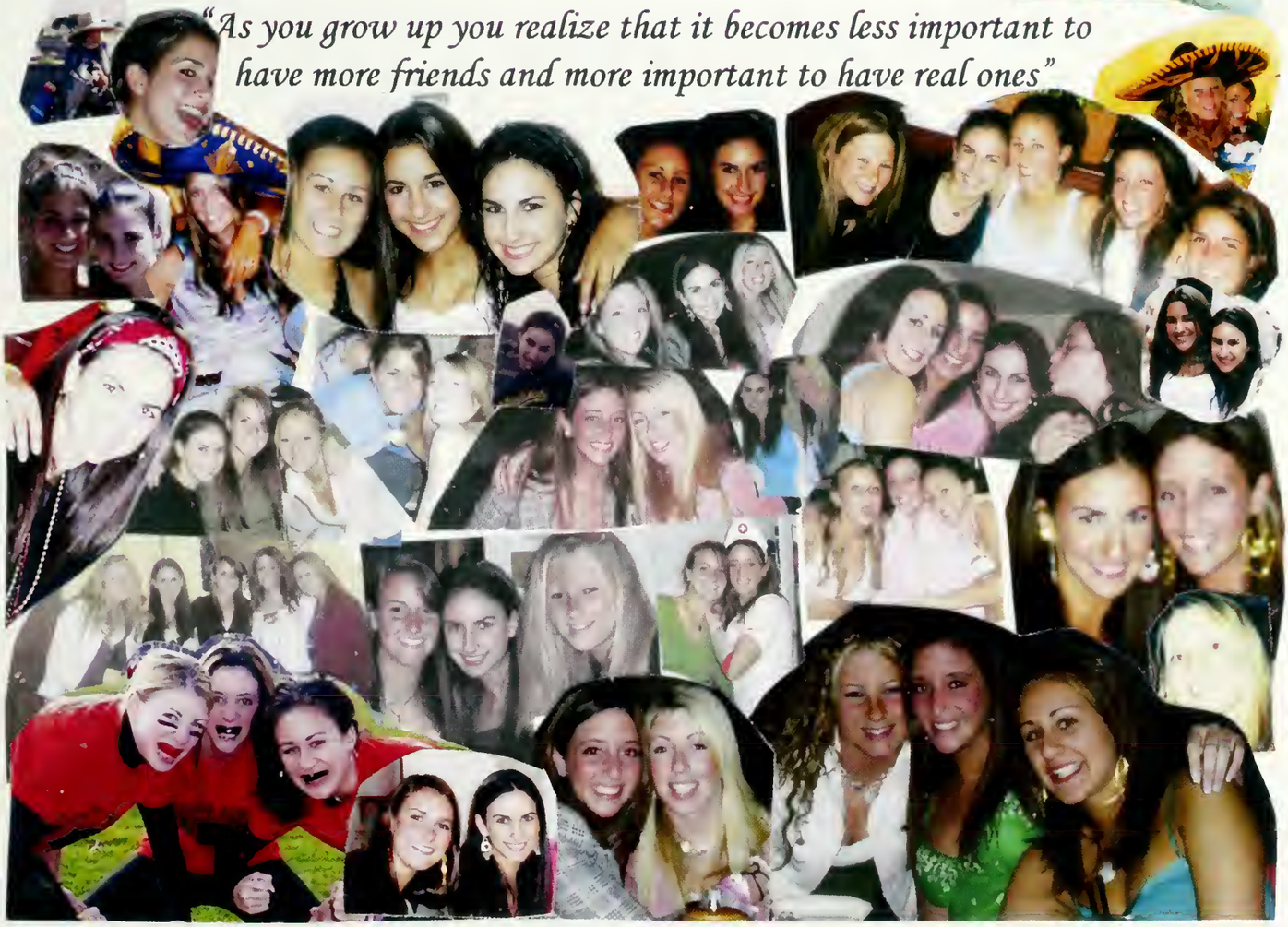
Some "keep in your pocket" thoughts from Mom:

"The life which is unexamined is not worth living." Plato
"Above all: To thine own self be true." Shakespeare
Listen to the "still small voice" within you always. I Kings 19 12
When there's a "fork stuck in the road," (and there will be many times) have the courage to ask your inner self: "Tell me, what is it you plan to do with your one wild and crazy life?" Mary Oliver
KNOW ALWAYS THAT I LOVE YOU.

Antya, the world is open. You can achieve success at all levels. Good Luck!
Love, Dad

Ali Christina Beth Tori Molly Kassia Jamie Jesse

"As you grow up you realize that it becomes less important to have more friends and more important to have real ones"



Stephanie Kaplan

Steph,

To the greatest daughter anyone could wish for.
May your future be filled with love, laughter
and happiness.

We love you,

Mommy, Daddy and Jesse

Stephanie-
You know you'll miss me
Love,
Jesse

Sarah Kaye

CHOOSE WITHOUT REGRET
CONTINUE TO LEARN
APPRECIATE YOUR FRIENDS
DO WHAT YOU LOVE
LIVE AS IF THIS IS ALL THERE IS.

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU
WE LOVE YOU ALWAYS
DAD, MOM, MICHAEL AND WHISKERS

Marco Antonio Planine-Troiani

CARA MARCO,
BUONA FORTUNA
CONTINUA A SORRIDERE, TESORO!
CON TANTO AFFETTO
MAMMA, PAPA, JULIA E GIOVANNA

Zachary Baer

We are so proud of you.

Your creativity, energy, and compassion are an inspiration.
Your humor and kindness are a blessing.

May you go from strength to strength.

Follow your dreams.

Love Always,
Mom and Dad

Lauren Sacks

Lauren: We have always admired your grace, intelligence, sense of humor and impeccable style.
Congratulations!
We Love You--Mom, Dad, Rachel & Josh

Steffie.
Always climbing the stairs to success
Good luck at college
We'll miss you!!!
Love,xoxoxox
Mom, Dad and Alex

Liz Leslie

We are so proud of you. You have accomplished so much. We can not wait to see what awaits you in the future.
Love Mom, Dad, Brian, Moni, Mittens and Cici

Khalel Pritchard

SCOOTER

A Beautiful Blessing
A Priceless Treasure
You mean the world to me
From a loveable, cute baby
To a strong, compassionate young man
Your presence, alone is uplifting
A heart of gold
A mind embedded with strong beliefs,
opinions and ideas,
You are ready for the world
Through these years, you have shone
like the stars
Now it's time for you to glow like the
moon and sun
No obstacle is too great
With a plate of nourishing thoughts
by your side and strength of my love
You will succeed
My hero, My love,
My son
Words cannot express the joy I feel
I am so proud of you!
Congratulations &
May all your dreams come true!

Love, Mom

MOOKIE
Lifelong friends are life's true gems.
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PARV KATTY COURT TARYN
LACE LIZ JES TINA EM
BLING
BLING

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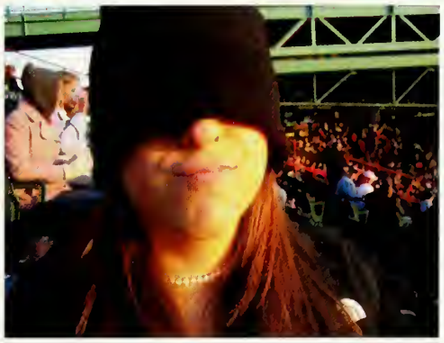
SMALLZ

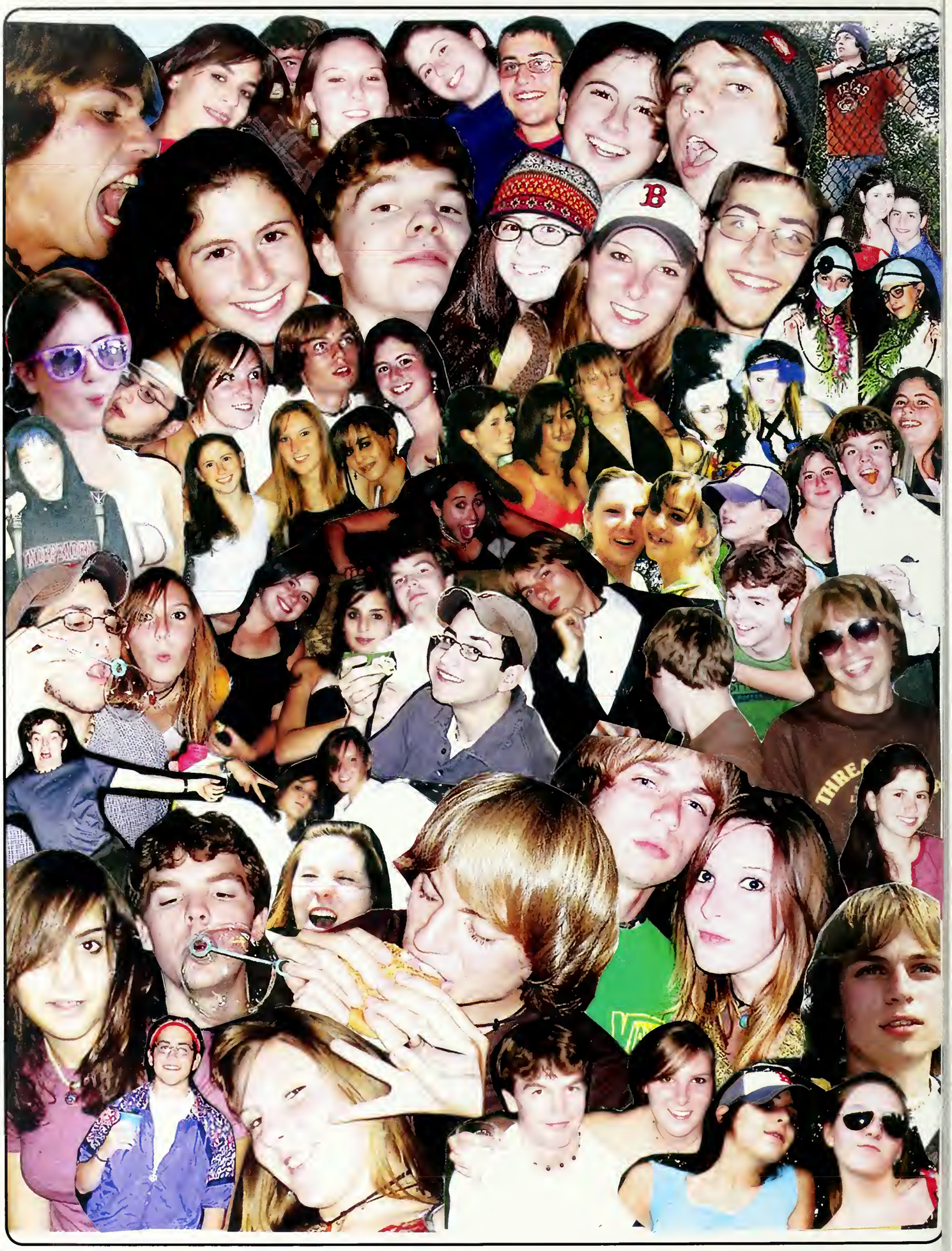
DDD*Heck Yes*Fan Bus Escapees*Tiny Tim*100% Sicilian*Happy Happy New Year*Don't Back Down*L17*

MSHELL



HOWIE

Seed* Back Up*Ange's Crack*Cmon Shatz*What's Your Favorite Scary Movie*



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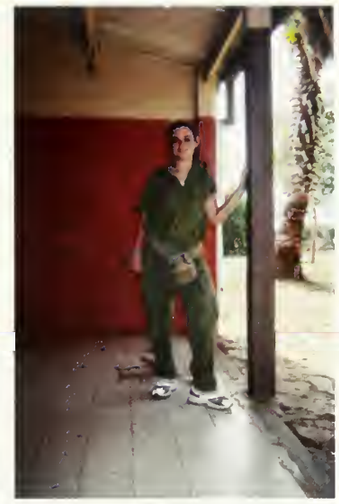

"LIVE IN THE MOMENT AND MAKE IT SO BEAUTIFUL THAT IT'LL BE WORTH REMEMBERING"

CONGRATULATIONS AND ALL OUR LOVE,

MOM, DAD, DAN AND CHICKIE

Congratulations Class of 2006
We wish you continued success through life's journey

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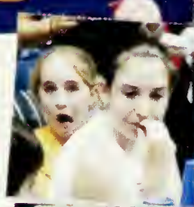


"We will be friends until forever, just wait and see."

TIGER SOCCER 2005

GENEVIEVE · CHLOE · JULIA · ALYSSA · SARA · MICHELLE · ERICA · ELANA · MORGAN · JILL

KERRI · KATIE · MICHELE · JAMIE · JULIE

ALI · ERIN · COURTNEY · KAELE

ALESSIA · ALEX · JENNIE · EMMA · DANA · SAM · KATIE · MAKEITA · GARLY · STEPH · HANNAH

It's hard to believe 8 weeks have gone by
It feels like it's been in the blink of an eye
We'll share some last thoughts, but afraid we may cry
We're not looking forward to saying goodbye

To Ali Amira, the best keeper in the state
Your saves are the best, not a second too late
This season you've proven you're really first rate
As a captain, as a goalie, as a Tiger teammate

Through the long hot summer's oppressive heat
Jamie Axelrod has never dropped a decent beat
Just look at her face and you can tell that she's sweet
One of the greatest people you'll ever meet

Michele Barbone, you're really quite the best
Extremely hard-working to say the very least
You give it your all 'til you're almost deceased
Then go to a team dinner and enjoy a good feast

As fast as a cheetah and tough as a shark
Julie Blanchard is always beating her mark
Her half-time speeches are full of great remarks
Providing our team with a much needed spark

Katie Glerum's a spaz, but always tons of fun
Never losing steam as you run, run and run
Out-hustling your opponent 'til the game is done
We're enjoyed this whole season with you honeybun

Kaele and Angus we love you both lots
Though Angus smells bad, he's still really hot
Through the years on this team you've fought
To help this team reach it's number 1 spot

This one's for you Court, the one with the messy bun
You're constantly beat your playing 1 v 1
Your hysterical voices make practice real fun
We will surely miss you when this season is done

Few people know that Erin Jones is our princess
But one with whom you should never really mess
With her speed and her dribbling, our team was twice blessed
We know all who watched her were truly impressed

To our other great defender, our own Kerri Moy
Known for eating green apples and lots of bok choi
Watching you defend is such a great joy
Especially the forwards you would always annoy

From team dinners to team spirit to pranks with shaving cream
It's tournament time and this is our dream
As a cult so excited, we just want to scream
"Rather than dying as individuals, we'll prevail as a team!"

WE LOVE YOU SENIORS
NEVER FORGET 2005

Ben Goldstein

Congratulations to Ben and everyone in the class of 2006! From school to soccer fields to concerts and everything in between, it's been a pleasure to watch you grow up. Good luck and keep smiling always!

With pride & love,
Barry & Kathy Goldstein and Wendy Devaney

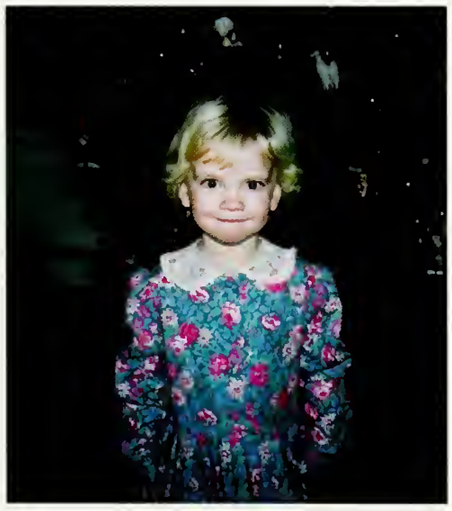
Sarah Lampert

Sarah, you have always been our superstar and we will forever be your biggest fans.

Congratulations sweetie.

We love you tons and tons,
Mom, Dad, Shane and Bradley

Maggie Kozlov



**You have brightened our lives since the day you were born.
May you now light up the world.**

**Congratulations, Mags!
We are so proud of you!
With all our love,
Mom, Dad, and Nick**

Carlos Was An Amazing. . .

Friend

Mentor

Brother

Son

Listener

Presence

Spirit

Teacher

Gymnast

Athlete

WE MISS YOU!

SIMMS PIONEERS

Chris-Most likely to re-write the SIMMS textbook
Maya-Most talkative
Sarah-Most likely to do all the wrong work and still get the right answer
Elvin-You're still in this class?
Pete-Most likely to be mistaken for a kid in a regular math class
James-Most likely to not make it on the outside
Andrew H-Best Laugh
Sassa-Most likely to do the homework on the day it was assigned
Brian-Most likely to be mistaken for Mr. Ma in the hall

Pat-Most likely to Burninate
Jake-Best Homework
Carv-Most likely to yell out random spanish lyrics
Aaron-Most likely to miss school for a Jewish related reason
Andrew M-Most likely to suddenly feel sick before E block
Dave-Most likely to take SIMMS in college
Zach-Most likely to have a secret shrine devoted to SIMMS
Bristian-Best Style
Steph-Next Ms. Hillyer
Orin-Most likely to protest against cruelty of skeeters
Sabrina-Most likely to not sit at a table during a test
Porv-Most likely to have a kid in SIMMS
Adam-Most likely to fall out a window chasing a butterfly
Khalel-Most likely to get a SIMMS tattoo
Caroline-Most likely to make a theater related announcement

We Wonder What It's Like On The Outside. . .cold dark lonely

Elliot Boblitt

WHEN YOU GET THE CHOICE TO SIT IT OUT
OR DANCE...
WE *KNOW* YOU'LL DANCE!!!
Love Forever, Mom and Bob

Congratulations to the
"three M's" and Katie.
You've come a long way
since Pierce School!

Beth Brandeis

Congratulations Beth!

You will always be our one and only Bethie
We love you – Mommy, Daddy, Gina and Julia

Jake Auchincloss

Sometimes,
The best is last.
Congratulations, Jake.
We're very proud of you.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Greg, Kalah, Hugh
Mink and Clifford

Daniela Kirsztajn

Dani

If you remain loyal and supportive of your friends,
If you are always learning something new,
If you remember the importance of giving to others,
If you stay the loving daughter and sister that you are,
Then you will continue to be a wonderful person
Congratulations and lots and lots of love.

Dad Mom Ilana, Amy and Grams

CONGRATULATIONS
CLASS OF 2006

May Your Cup Always
Runneth Over !!

BEST OF LUCK
DAVE MATTHEWS' FAMILY

Graham David Kelly

"If Music be the food of love,
Play On!"

Much love,
Mom and Dad

Sam Shaughnessy

Congratulations
Sam!

Always get a good pitch to hit.

Love,
MOM, DAD
Sarah, Kate

Shana Leslie Simkin

Congratulations on all your accomplishments! You have always brought us such joy--and we are so proud of you.

Much love,

Mom, Daniel, and Daren

Congratulations to the Class of 2006

-From the *Newtonian* Seniors

Molly Tack

CONGRATULATIONS
MOLZ!!

YOU'RE THE BEST!

WE LOVE YOU -
MOM, DAD, BEN & MANNY

Jaclyn Faneuil

AND OFF SHE GOES. . .

TO A BRIGHT FUTURE!

We are so proud
of all your achievements.

Love you so much,
Mom, Dad, Stacey & Alicia

Greg Cooperman

CONGRATULATIONS GREG!

Love Dad, Mom and Emily

Ben Bromfield

Hats off to you Ben --
You're a winner!
Love, Mom, Dad, Dan & Pepper

Will Nichols

Congratulations
to the finest son and brother

Will Nichols

We are very proud of you.

Bill & Alison Nichols

Tiger Pride

Congratulations to Class of 2006!

Wake now, discover
that you are the song
that the morning brings
but the heart has its seasons,
its evenings and songs of its own

We love you Katiemae

Always and always,
Mom, Dad, Ian & Hannah

Nikita J. Hicks

Nikita, we are truly proud of you. As you set out on your journey to define yourself, have an open mind to the endless opportunities that await you. Take on and welcome new challenges. Share in people's lives and accept them for who they are, be responsible, have fun, and enjoy your life.

Believe in yourself and know how much we love you and that we will always be there for you. We are wishing you the very best now and always. Congratulations!

Love, Mom, Bruno and Lisa

To a Great Group... Congratulations!
"Make new friends, but keep the old."
Lucy,
Susan & Mitchel,
Haralie,
Nava & Eli
Roslady & William

Science Team

Congratulations to the seniors on the Newton North Science Team:
Ian Bullock, Rich Ellis, Johnny Kolow, John Garobedian, Loren Chen

Brian Prince

Congratulations Brian!
We are so proud of you!

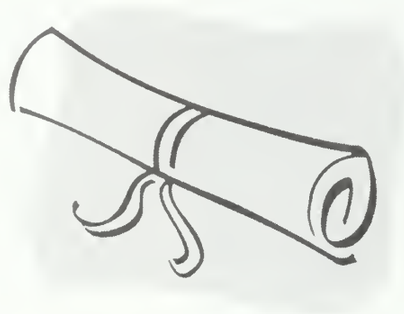
Love, Nanny
Papa
Aunts
Uncles
Cousins

Mathew Zimmer

We are very proud of you!
We know that you will attain great success
and meet life's challenges with dignity, humor and enthusiasm.
Much Love,
GM and GP

CONGRATULATIONS

SARAH B.



You dazzle us everyday, and today is no exception!

Love, Your family ... Dad Mom and Nate

Jacqueline Caruso

Jackie,
We are all so very proud of you. We know you will succeed in everything you do.
We all love you!
BOTB
Mom, Dad, Christine, Steph & Michelle

Alison B. Malins

Congratulations Ali!! We're so proud of you! You can do *anything* you put your mind to - limitless future!
Love, Dad & Pat

Josh Solwalsky

"Two roads diverged in a road, and I -- I took the one less traveled by, And that has made all the difference."
Josh,
As you journey down the road of life, travel safe, travel far. Keep reaching for those stars. They're yours.

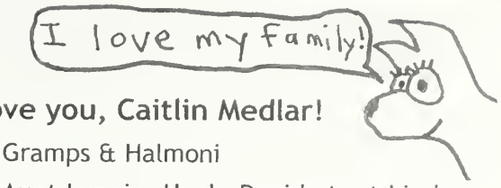
Mom, Dad
Adam & Emily

Lydia Gordon

Congratulations, Lydia!

Always an adventure and never a dull moment, you have enriched our lives and we love you "way beyond the Black Hole."

Mom, Dad, Sharon, Keith and Lucy



We love you, Caitlin Medlar!

Gramps & Halmoni
Aunt Lynnie, Uncle David, Aunt Linda
Uncle Tom & Auntie Joan
Uncle Mark, Aunt Tina, Andrew & Connor
Uncle Tim, Aunt Kate & Matthew

Nick Cassidy

We are so proud of you today & always

Love,
Mom, Dad & Ben

Ira L. Berman

We love you
Ira
Merry, Abby & Dad

CONGRATULATIONS

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Ediitor-in-Chief

Margalit Tepper
Athletics Editor

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Account Books

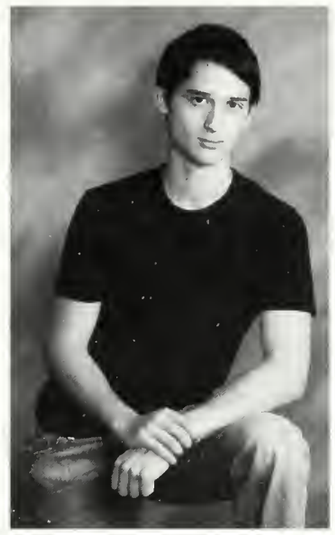
Congratulations to the graduating class of 2006

-From Accounting Books

Martha Ross

Martha,
As you move on we are confident that you will continue to look up and reach high.
We are very proud of you.

CONGRATULATIONS!
Love, Mom, Dad, Robyn, Kaleigh, Gwyneth, Charlotte and Fiona



Congratulations !

恭喜！！

Love, Mom, Dad,
Joel and Ariel

ELLIOT HANDLER

Roller Coaster.....by Dean Thorpe
Just like life, full of ups and downs
slowly climbing up, quickly flying down
finally pulling up, just before the ground
going so fast, spinning round and round.
Round one loop, then round another
at the front, kids with poor mother
they all scream, feeling happy and free.
She is sitting there, thinking why me!

✿ Hilana ✿

We are so proud of you and excited for the start of this new chapter in your life.

We love you,
Mom, Dad & Brynn

Thank You Ms. Novinsky for an amazing four years as the adviser of the *Newtonian*
-Ely & Abby

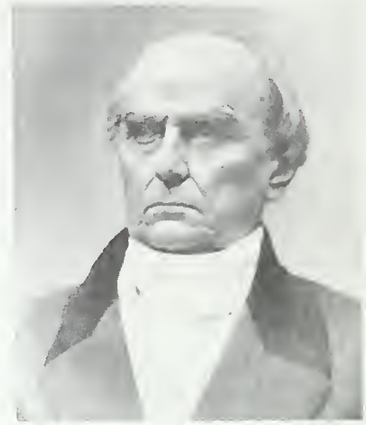
Lucas MacNab

We are very proud of you, Lucas.
May you reach all your goals.
Know you always have our support.

Love, Mom, Dad, and Caroline

Daniel Craig

Daniel Joseph Werb



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Daniel Barenboim

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the tradition of
extraordinary people
named Daniel

Much love always
Mom Dad Julia

Daniel in the Lion's Den

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ladel ● **LOVERS** ● the cape ● meow meow ● floppy dance ● bean ● catinka ● little n ● mADDIE ● ufo ● ● bernie in…you know ● **totty** ● the one and only word ● ti's eyebrows ● 2! ● mildly L mix ● 2-4 ● your dad's pretty cute ● drop down and get your eagle on ● nightminds ● thirteen ● sear-china ● **mands** ● white houses ● hon hon hon ● p.o.p ● mississississippi ● sledding at night ● **dan** ● blueberry nutrigrain bar ● tree dance ● i've lost my five senses ● cookies ● code pink ● sarah, listen ● **cassa** ● obv ● "remember when I dated him?" ● just call me torpedo ● chica louise ● vote yes ● dirrty chai ●

"Travel out across the burnin' sand
Cross the ocean to some distant land
We'll reach the end and we'll all be singin'
And we'll all be friends
Back where it all begins"

"dani, did you take the phone to school?" ● **adz** ● tourist pose ● your dad's pretty cute ● OC ● **slever** ● can't see can't hear just going ● anna's ● dying hair ● studioC ● hey jojo its caaatttii ● is that animal? ● possum ● flordia ● mattapan ● I'm bored lets eat ● jldc ● jojo's a fat cow ● orangatang tia ● lb Mondays ● I am a cheddar bunny ● chad gifford ● wanna split a milk ● d.j. lyme ● dan's avocado tree ● stress wind ● cruel intentions ● you only like me for my grip shoes ● piedro ● ignition ● possum ● my cousin has a little twitch ● peter ● **sars** ● sneaking out/in ● speed bumps/pot holes ● techno listen to your heart ● …but I'm not getting anything to eat ● ye olde shoppe ● chickhair ● slytherin ● **cati** ● bearry ● sausage leg ● butterfly across the pool ● b-suit ● kinda fast,close to home ● pin+ves ● "thanks for having the kids Patrice!" ● did you do something to your hair? ● fro yo je t'aiimmeee ● regan ● chimichangas ● shotgun wherever we go ● stupid lil... ● aly is w.t. ● "but we're notgonna" ● maaazipan ● stalkers ● the vineyard ● no-nose ● chicken cutlets ● caramel machs ● us weekly ● naming lobsters ● I gotta get to Harvard… ● presenting tori gwinnnnn ● irish accent ● cheeseeake/charlies ● awkward stages ● lobsters

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SOPHIE
&
FRIENDS
As your lives expand
with new experiences and
new friends, those from
high school will remain
indelibly etched and
close to your heart
thruout your life...
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GOOD LUCK, & HAPPINESS
ALWAYS!
Mom
(Diane)

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Anthony Gurley

Beloved by Newton North students and faculty, Anthony Gurley is well-known for leading the Newton North Boys' Basketball team to state championships two years in a row. Anthony, who has played on Varsity since his freshman year, served as tri-captain this past season. He began playing basketball at the Boys and Girls Club near his home in Roxbury when he was about eight years old and has been recognized nationwide for his talent on the court. Anthony also likes to make sure his team bonds well off the court as well, which is why he often organizes team dinners and bowling outings with his other captains. Anthony notes that his parents have been "incredibly supportive and encouraging" during his high school career. Anthony will attend Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem, North Carolina and will continue playing basketball there.

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1) going to Study Hall matters

2) not to skip Gym because make-ups are awful

3) take Chem. over the summer

4) Freshman grades count

5) Your teachers know when you skip class

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People Profiles:
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Mikaela Hansen stands out among the class of 2006. The outgoing senior, better known as Kaela, is a tremendous tri-season athlete on Newton North's successful girls' soccer, hockey, and lacrosse teams. She started playing soccer at age eight and continued through her four years at Newton North. This past season she served as tri-captain. She has also played Newton North hockey since freshman year and was captain this year. For freshman and sophomore, Kaela counts her father, who used to assist coach some of her teams, as her biggest supporter. Kaela looks forward to attending to Boston University next year.

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The People and the Memories...

Corinne—Verbal tussles, countless shocks, total warfare, get that stuff done NOW, omg they're redoing the page for the 100th time, you know it was fun!

Ann—Rides everyday, just talking, my screeching car (that we were all embarrassed to get in), the hitting, the fighting, that long night till 2am w/ MMA, the spot on the floor, and of course the Ina ordeals. What a year!

Margalit—Jew pride rides home, USY events, Klem moments, Lallas moments, the ultimate in procrastination, a professional teacher side-tracker, Israel moments, beanie babies, too much to write it all down.

Jessie—All hands on the bad one, Ohhhh-oh-oh-oh, the songs are classic, the hyper ones, can't stop laughing, most easily distracted, that club does not exist, the temple times and so much more. .

Cayla—Hey Spinelli, where is Cayla? Yea so I'm going to Israel, the class, Natali and Melissa moments, we missed you for the second half of the year!

Abby G—never call me Gormie, can you repeat that please, sell that ad call the governor don't get stressed, advice-should I...? What a great year!
And of Course. .

Abby R—the ups, the downs, the fights the laughs, we've basically shared every emotion these past three years. The do-overs, the disagreements, uniting vs. the puritans the pree-pree the frosh are so tiny churros con chocolate, and basically everything We've had our ups and downs, but in the end I' really glad that we gat to know each other over these three years, from Spain, ta Columbia to Guidance Aides to Marketing, and so much mare I hope you have an amazing time at UNH next year!

Ms. Murphy Anderson- Thanks for helping us out so much this year! Good Luck next year!

Ms. Navinsky- These four years have flown by so fast Remember when I was a tiny freshman in fundamentals? The BU conferences the math class field trips, E- block visits switching homerooms, dealing with stress, The Sarah, Adam and Becca years, multiple co-advisers, the no late night policies, wanting to change everything, we've been through so much together We're both yearbook seniors together now getting ready ta graduate Thank you far an amazing four years! The Newtonian won't be the same without you.

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-Ely Goldberg

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Abby "Junior"—My mini-me! You are on of the only people I know named Abby who I actually like which is a huge accomplishment You are a creative, hardworking, determined, brilliant, fashionable, nice, and fun person—stay that way! Don't forget about our little outings to get ice cream, or our "meetings" in the hallway

Jessie—"My friend 'til the end" You stuck by the yearbook from that first day I came to the cafeteria and commissioned all of you guys to work on it with me You are the best artist that I know and I can't wait to see your designs, artwork or whatever displayed all over the place some day Jessie Bessie, I'll always remember the soft hair screeches, late nights, partying in the car, concerts, and our talks. Jessie is cool like sunshine on a rainy day!

Margalit—"Sometimes you meet somebody. And the second you meet the second you're introduced, you just get that feeling like you just hated each other's guts. I happened to, uh, have the situation happen recently. " --Dane Cook Oh, Margalit the second we met (for the 2nd time) I just got that feeling. . . Just kidding. You did an amazing job, especially coming from a book smaller than your entire section. From freshmen humanities to senior skip day (with that one, small, two year gap) you've been awesome, cool, and absolutely frickin' hysterical

Cayla—I hope that you had fun in Israel. Thanks for the hard work that you put in on your section- it turned out really nicely
Last, but not least

Ely—Oh man, Ely We've worked together for three years. We've gone to Spain together on the exchange. We've been to Columbia two years in a row. And now we've finished the yearbook- our yearbook We've had those ups and downs, but in the end I think that we pulled it together and have created something wonderful. If you're ever going to Burgos, give me a holler!

Ms. Murphy Anderson—Thanks for all the help this year the late night proofing, the walks to third lot, and the really funny quotes. Have a good time next year!

Ms. Novinsky—Breathe. Am I going to have to come home and tell you to breathe next year? Don't forget to use those tapes and yoga mat Corinne and I got you! You have been the best adviser that I could have asked for—nice, great editor wonderful businessperson, supporter, travel companion, and so much more. These three years have been great, and I know that everyone is sad that you'll be leaving Thank you for everything, the recommendations, the fun talks about "The Dooney," and the giggles. Good luck next year with all that free time, and thanks for letting us make this book ours; for giving me and Ely a chance, and for being you!
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Looking Back

Over. done. A wave of relief. A sigh of sadness. You've made it through yet another year of high school. You took those brightly colored lockers and made them your own. You woke up ridiculously early to park on Hull St. at 7am. You did it! You have gone out, found what you love, and done it. You made *Chicago* a smashing success. You led one of many Tiger teams into the state tournament. You founded that club you always knew should exist. You make the entire school scream: Look at Me! "Standards?" You blew them away! You sat through a week of MCAS. You rocked the new SAT. You remained unique. You stood out with your grades. You stood out by excelling in a sport. You stood out by pursuing your passion. Be proud of your years at North; you've defined yourself and taken action to be that person. You stood out by doing what you do best. Look back upon your senior year at North and think about all that you have accomplished. As you leave this building, remember that you always have and always will be screaming: Look at Me!

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